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WHITEAWAY'S

Russia Says "Full Alliance or Nothing" STALIN REJECTS LATEST PROPOSAL

LONDON, May 19.

BEFORE the House of Commons met to-day the Soviet Ambassador to London visited the British Foreign Office and delivered the Soviet refusal to the latest British proposals.

The answer presented by M. Maisky insisted on a tri-power pact for mutual assistance.—United Press.

DIFFERENCES

LONDON, May 19.—M. Maisky, the Soviet Ambassador to London, called at the Foreign Office this morning and saw Sir Robert Vansittart.

It is understood that he informed him of the terms of the communication received from the Soviet, replying to his account of the contacts with Sir Robert Vansittart on Wednesday.

An account of the conversation was handed to Mr. Neville Chamberlain before he spoke in the House of Commons.

No further instructions have been sent to Sir William Seeds, the British Ambassador to Moscow, for the past day or two.

"Reuter" understands that a difference still exists between Britain and the Soviet regarding the methods to resist aggression, but it is confidently believed that these will be overcome.—Reuter.

NIGHT-SOIL SCANDAL

Dumping In City Area Alleged

REPORTS that night-soil coolies are dumping excreta in the drains and nullahs in the city area will evoke questions at the next meeting of the Urban Council, scheduled to be held on Tuesday.

It is understood that several complaints have been recorded regarding the practice.

Reports received by the "Telegraph" indicate that human excreta has been dumped at night even in the heart of the city. It was alleged recently that a considerable quantity was dumped in the drains in Queen's Road, near the intersection of Pedder Street.

Caine Road Menace

The habit of dumping nightsoil is claimed by one source of information to have become so prevalent in Caine Road as to constitute a real menace to public health.

The coolies are instructed to take the nightsoil to Sanitary Department junks which in turn convey it to the open sea for disposal. These instructions appear not to have been carried out in some cases.

Under circumstances such as exist to-day the practice of dumping the nightsoil in drains and nullahs results in it being carried down by flood-waters into the harbour.

Under ordinary circumstances, when there is no rain to flush the nullahs, the night-soil remains where it is dumped, an offence to pedestrians and residents alike.

Council Questions

At Tuesday's meeting of the Urban Council, Mr. B. Wong Tape will ask the Chairman:

1.—Is the Chairman aware that night-soil, instead of being disposed of by authorised means, is sometimes dumped into open channels and washed down the drains?

2.—Will the Chairman take steps to discover whether this is being done and to prevent any repetition?

THE Launch Picnic organised by Christ Church Fellowship for this afternoon has been cancelled.

"United Press" reports that the House of Commons, on a strictly Party basis, upheld Mr. Chamberlain's policy by 220 votes to 126. The debate on Foreign Affairs was, however, featured by—

Bitter Criticism Of Government's Policy

LONDON, May 19.

MR. WINSTON CHURCHILL made a characteristic contribution to the Foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons to-day (earlier speeches are fully reported on page 9), when he said that clearly Russia was not going to enter an agreement unless she was treated as an equal, and unless there was evidence that the methods employed by the Allies were likely to lead to success.

THEY LIKE HIM AGAIN

Premier Pleases Totalitarians

BERLIN, May 19.—"An AGREEMENT between Britain and Russia which Mr. Chamberlain anticipated for the near future, would, in the German view, only make Moscow more cocksure of herself, just as Britain's guarantee to Poland has made Warsaw more presumptuous," declared a political commentator with regard to the debate in the House of Commons.

A further strengthening of guarantees to Poland, Rumania, and Greece could according to political circles, merely increase European uncertainty.

Regarding Mr. Chamberlain's reference to colonies, the commentator declared that Germany's colonial claim was not a matter of concessions, but of right, based on Wilson's 14 Points.

"We demand nothing more" than our colonies. We have never done anything in violation of the 14 points.—Reuter.

Chance For Colonies

BERLIN, May 19.—A source close to the Government, commenting on Mr. Chamberlain's statement in the House of Commons to-day, said: "Anything Britain can do to bring about the readjustments about which Mr. Chamberlain spoke will be welcomed by Germany."

"The changes which followed 1910 have upset the balance and there can be no real peace in Europe unless reasonable adjustments are made. As to our position, that has been laid down by the Fuehrer in his speeches."

"Our attitude towards England has resulted from English efforts for encirclement which no one can deny. These efforts have necessarily endangered our security."—United Press.

Doctor Josef Goebbels, German Minister of Propaganda, writing in the "Völkischer Beobachter" says: "I hope enough common sense will return to the peoples of Europe to save them from very grave disaster."

"What we can do towards that end, shall be done," he promised.

This pronouncement follows an alleged "attack against the Reich by anti-Reich headquarters in London and Paris" which he accuses of deliberately preventing the smooth adjustment of the Danzig and Polish Corridor problems and also of refusing to return Germany her colonies.

Meanwhile a source close to the German Government said "Anything England can do to bring about the readjustment of which Mr. Chamberlain has spoken about will be welcomed by Germany." He said no real

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Big City Plan

Govt. Discloses Praya Plans

DETAILS of the Government's proposed reclamation scheme on the Praya, which is going to change the whole face of the waterfront from the Vehicular Ferry to Queen Victoria Street, are published in to-day's Government "Gazette."

The vast work involves the reclaiming of about 41,650 square feet of the harbour, the construction of a 15,640 square foot pier, and the building of a temporary pier about 80 feet long between the reclamation and Douglas Wharf.

Abutting the present Vehicular Ferry pier at Jubilee Street, the reclamation will extend from the Central Market to Pottinger Street, ending at about halfway between the ferry pier and the Douglas wharf.

PROCLAMATION

A temporary pier is to be constructed between Pottinger Street and Douglas Street, and will not be retained once the reclamation work is completed.

The reclamation involves the demolition of one small existing pier. In the proclamation regarding the reclamation scheme, His Excellency the Governor requires any person having any objection to, or any claim of private right in respect of the proposed undertaking, to send his objection or claim in writing to the Director of Public Works before the expiration of two months from to-day.

Assurance is given that full consideration will be given to all such claims and objections.

New Ship For N. Y. K. Fleet

Luxury Liner For European Route

TOKYO, May 20. A de luxe addition will be made to the N.Y.K. fleet of ocean-going liners when the Nitta Maru, 16,500 tons, one of the three sister ships laid down by the company, will be launched at the Mitsubishi Dockyard at Nagasaki to-day.

Two other ships, the Kasuga Maru and the Yawata Maru, will be launched in September and February, next year, respectively. All these vessels will be assigned to the European Line.

Capable of developing 22 nautical miles per hour, these ships are put to be the fastest passenger liners that have so far been built in Japan. They are 180 metres long, 25.5 metres wide, and 12.4 metres deep.—Domei.

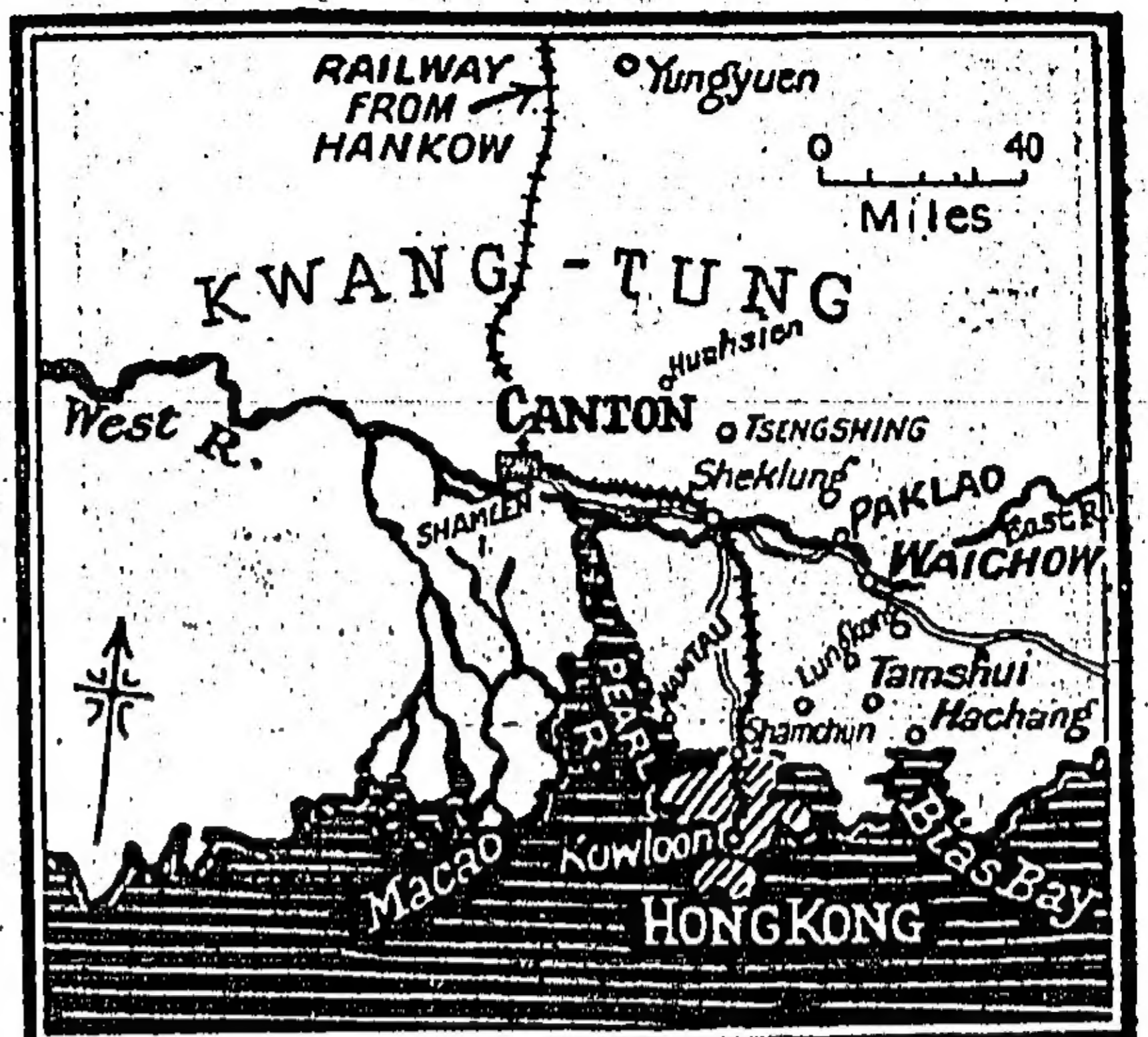
T.U.C. Agrees On Defence

Will Participate In Govt. Work

LONDON, May 19. ALTHOUGH strongly condemning the introduction of conscription, a special conference of the unions affiliated to the Trade Union Congress to-day decided by a majority of 3,078,000 to 450,000 to participate in civil defence work.

The conference, attended by 1,000 delegates on 38 unions, rejected suggestions for a general strike to oppose conscription, and also gave sanction to the General Council to continue negotiations with the Ministry of Labour on the war time problems of industry, and demanded that the Government pass, without delay, necessary measures to control prices, limit profits, and conscript wealth.—Reuter.

LAUNCH PICNIC CANCELLED
The launch picnic arranged by St. Andrew's Club for this afternoon has been cancelled owing to rain. The next one will be on May 27, starting at 3.00 p.m.



CHINESE RENEW CANTON WARFARE

AFTER A LULL of three weeks heavy fighting has re-opened on the north-eastern Canton front.

The Chinese have renewed their counter-attack on the Tsengshing-Fahsien area, it is learned from usually well-informed Chinese circles.

It is claimed that Liuchuen on the outskirts of Tsengshing and Lungchow at Fahsien were regained by the Chinese in yesterday's offensive.

Spirited fighting is still in progress at Mount Kailash and Mount Sehtao, according to the latest reports. The Chinese have retaken Mangachong in the Tsungfa sector again. The Japanese are now holding their second line of defence in Tsungfa-chung.

Raid On Pakhoi

Eight Japanese planes raided Pakhoi three times yesterday, dropping about 20 bombs on the heart of the city.

Several direct hits were made near the Custom House. According to a preliminary estimate, about 100 persons were killed or wounded by the bombing.

Heavy Fighting

YUNG-YUN, KWANGTUNG.—Heavy fighting has resumed around Tsengshing and Tsungfa, respectively 35 and 30 miles north-east of Canton. After being defeated in a battle to the north of Tsengshing on Wednesday, the Japanese have retired into Tsengshing city. Liaotsun Wushoh, respectively north and west of Tsengshing, have been regained by the Chinese who are closing in on the city itself.

Fighting in the Tsungfa sector centres on Tsungfahchong and Shengkong, south of Tsungfa. Japanese communication lines between Canton and Kongsun are reported to have been heavily damaged by the Chinese.

Similar sabotage work has been done to the Chinese sector of the Canton-Kowloon Railway near Shek-tan where the rails, bridges and telegraph wires were destroyed.—Central News.

Hupoh Fighting

LOYANG, May 20.—After sustaining a heavy defeat at Tungepoh on

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LATEST

Italian Avalanche

Rome, May 19. Eleven workmen were killed and five injured in an avalanche of rock, earth and snow at Valformozza to-day.

The avalanche crashed on a hut where the workmen were eating. Twenty people were trapped and only four escaped unhurt.—United Press.

Mass Murders

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—Seven of the twenty-eight defendants in the mass murder syndicate have been indicted on charges of mass murder and manslaughter. Previously, two additional defendants, Louis Bolber and Isaac Grinn had been arraigned.—United Press.

Jewish Unity

JERUSALEM, May 19.—Jewish official bodies here are being showered with cables from all parts of the world, from Jewish communities promising financial and moral support.

Many financial contributions have been received telegraphically.—United Press.

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Further Late News

THUNDERSTORM BRINGS HEAVY DOWNPOUR

HONGKONG'S reservoirs are greedily absorbing millions of gallons of much-needed water as a result of last night's severe thunderstorm which, between midnight and 8.30 this morning, produced 2.29 inches of rain.

When the storm was at its height between 4 and 6 o'clock this morning, 1.18 inches of rain fell on the Colony. Thereafter the downpour became more steady, and between 6 o'clock and 8.30 less than half an inch was recorded.

However, the total yield is of tremendous value, and brings the rainfall for the year up to 28 inches, which is eight inches above normal. So far, a trifle over seven inches of rain have fallen this month, and only four inches are now required to reach the normal for the month.

According to the Royal Observatory, rain between midnight and 1 a.m. was too slight to make any recording, and only slight drizzle fell for the following two hours. Between 4 and 6 p.m. however, the rain came down in torrents, while the

thunder boomed overhead, and vivid lightning split the skies.

Steady Downpour

With the fury of the storm abating shortly after 8 o'clock, steady rain set in, producing nearly another half an inch, and as the heavens were still weeping copiously at the time of going to press, there is every reason to expect another inch or so of rain to be added to the year's quota during the next 24 hours.

The following table reveals how the overnight rain was recorded at the Royal Observatory:

Midnight-Nil
1 a.m.—drizzle, nil
2 a.m.—nil
3 a.m.—nil
4 a.m.—0.03 inch
5 a.m.—1.185 inches
6 a.m.—0.10 inch
7 a.m.—0.10 inch
8 a.m.—0.15 inch



These little girls arriving in New York brought music to be played by the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra, directed by Barle Marx, in Brazil's part at the World's Fair. They are Nora Yolanda, 10, and Anna Maria, 8, daughters of Brazilian Ambassador Carlos Martins.

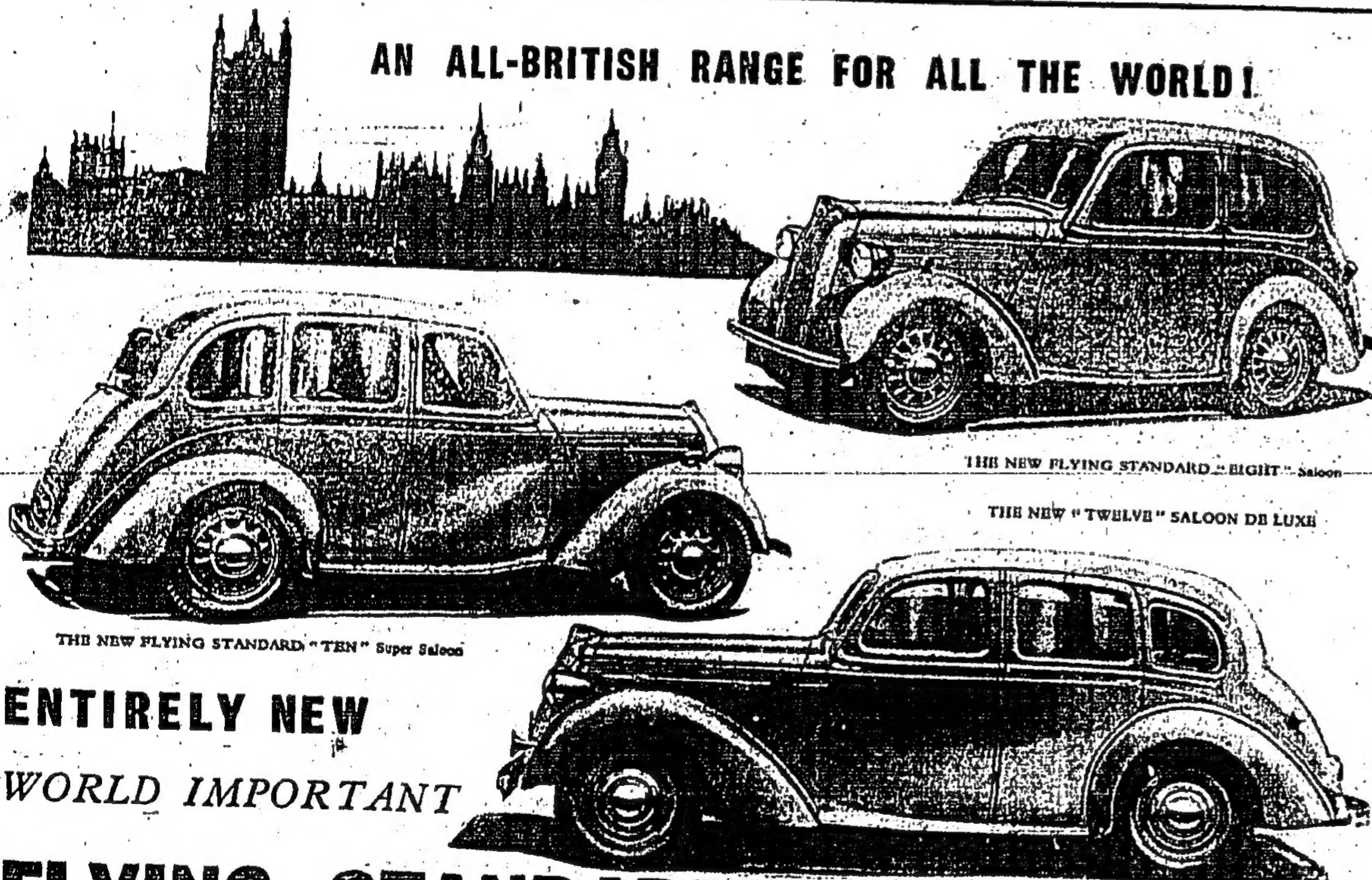
Astronomers Hope To See Martians

THIRTY astronomers at observatories in various parts of the world will try this summer to solve the riddle of Mars.

Members of the Mars section of the British Astronomical Association, they will keep their eyes fixed on this fiery red planet, which will be 28,000,000 miles nearer the earth than it has been for 15 years.

"We shall look for hours not to miss the few seconds when a good view may be possible," Dr. R. L. Phillips's garden.

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BRITISH CARS ARE BEST—IN THE LONG RUN

JUDGE SETS A WOMAN GUN TEST IN DOCK

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'Won't Go Straight'

"I SHALL keep on having a bad record. I don't intend to go straight. You can give me what you like."

Robert John Stovey, aged 22, a seaman, said this at Bourne-mouth Quarter Sessions when told by the Recorder, Mr. J. Lhind Pratt, that he had a bad record.

"I hope even you will think things over," replied the Recorder.

"I don't think so," persisted Stovey.

"It is not a profitable game," said the Recorder. "You are known to the police now."

"You must have found out for yourself that by these offences you cause a great deal of agitation among people, and you don't make much profit out of it."

Stovey: But I will do. My one object when I come out will be to give the police all the trouble I can.

The Recorder said that he would not punish Stovey on that assumption, and sentenced him to nine months imprisonment for taking away motor-cars without the owners' consent, and breaking and entering.

He and other experts will be alertly watching from early in May to early September, hoping that the millionth chance of settling the controversy about the existence of life on Mars may come their way.

Dr. Waterfield is convinced that evidence to date indicates vegetable and possibly animal life, with the probabilities more in favour of Martian intelligent life than against it.

Green markings, which change to brown seasonally, like our spring and autumn colours, may hold the key to the secret.

They may represent agricultural areas under intelligent direction.

MRS. Irene Wray, thirty-three years old, acquitted at Leeds Assizes recently of murdering her husband, was just leaving the witness-box after telling her own story of the shooting, when Mr. Justice Asquith said, "If it will not distress you too much, I would like you to take the gun and show us just what happened."

She had said that, after loading the gun to frighten her husband, she held it in her right hand, with her fingers through the trigger guard, and was raising it to threaten him when it went off by accident.

When the judge made his request the gun was handed to Mrs. Wray with the hammer cocked. As she began to raise it she put her left hand across to it.

I WAS WATCHING HIM

The judge stopped her. "You told us you held it by the right hand only. Keep your left hand away," he said.

Mrs. Wray did so.

"Now try to make the hammer fall as you raise the gun," said the judge.

In the hushed court she swung up the gun to shoulder level—once, twice, three times. The hammer remained steady. "I was watching him all the time," she explained.

A fourth time she raised the gun. The hammer fell. In the dead silence its click sounded unnaturally loud.

Immediately she sank to her hands and sobbed with her head in her hands.

For nearly an hour previously she had been closely questioned by Mr.

Arthur Morley, K.C., prosecuting. He had suggested she was inordinately jealous and suspicious of her husband, constantly "chivvying" him, perhaps nagging him, so that their relations became strained.

Mrs. Wray sobbed as Mr. Paley Scott, K.C., who was defending her, told the jury, "It is quite clear she was passionately determined to keep her husband, and to exercise the charm I have no doubt she possessed as a young woman. She saw her little ship of happiness drifting to shipwreck."

The jury of nine men and three women were absent two and three-quarter hours. Mrs. Wray had to be helped into the dock, and a wardress's arm supported her while she awaited their verdict. As the foreman said "Not guilty" she fell back fainting.

She was almost carried to an ante-room, where she sat sobbing. It was a quarter of an hour before she sent for her mother and two brothers, who had been waiting in the corridor.

All Europe Writes To This Vicar

THE Rev. Martin Davidson, D.Sc., of Canning Town, E., is head of one of the world's biggest "pen" families.

Almost every star-gazer in Europe seems to write to him at some time or other.

On official paper and pretty picture postcards they send him astruse figures.

And from them Dr. Davidson calculates such things as the paths of comets.

When visited him at Holy Trinity vicarage he showed an envelope stuffed with cards and letters.

"Observations on a certain comet from astronomers all over the world," he said, "from them I will compute its orbit."

WIRES IN CODE

"These observations come from two sources—the International Astronomical Union with its headquarters at Copenhagen, and private observers."

"Copenhagen collects information from all the great observatories in the world and wires it in code to Greenwich."

"They telephone it to me and then I get confirmation by card from Copenhagen."

"Private observers who send me information are mainly in England and Scotland, though I have had a card from Cape Town."

"They are mostly school masters, farmers and doctors. Will Hay has sent me some very good observations."

Two of Dr. Davidson's published works, "The Determination of the Parabolic Orbit of a Comet" and "The Computation of Real Paths of Meteors" are regarded as important contributions to astronomy.

BIG "SHOW-OFF"

"April was the month when the heavens showed off," he said.

Between April 21 and 24 there were the great celestial fireworks known as the Lyrid meteor shower.

"You could all have become astronomers between April 21 and April 24 because you don't need a telescope to follow meteors."

"Joke" Paper Endures

OBERLIN, O.—The Oberlin Review, student publication which was founded as an April Fool day joke, celebrated its 65th anniversary with a special programme.

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WATER RESISTANT COAT

WOMAN WITH TINY HAND ROBS HOUSE

Steals Evening Gown, Furs

A HAND, too small to be a man's, was thrust through a neatly-cut hole in a window. It unscrewed a safety catch... and a thief climbed in to steal jewels and furs worth £500 from the home of Mr. W. O. Heyne, company director, of Winton-road, Hampstead, N.W.

The hole in the window betrayed the theft recently to a builder's watchman whom Mr. Heyne had asked to watch his house while he went to Herne Bay for Easter.

GLASS WAS OUT
The watchman telephoned to Mr. Heyne, who motored home.

Mr. Heyne said: "My hand was much too big to go through the hole in the window. A woman must have done it."

"The putty on the window had been scraped away, and the glass carefully cut."

"The thief went upstairs and jammed open the cupboards and wardrobes in each bedroom."

Among the valuables stolen are a mink coat, a fox cape, two gold bracelets, gold cuff links, and an evening gown.

Silver in the dining-room was left untouched.

Whittington (The Cat) Is Dead

DICK WHITTINGTON, the Mansion House cat that was presented by the Prime Minister to the Dyers Company, to Sir Harry Twiford, when he was Lord Mayor of London, is dead. He was found, recently, battered to death in the garden of a house near Sir Harry Twiford's home at Copse Hill, Wimbledon, S.W.

Bad Dreams "Cure"

WITCHCRAFT practised in some parts of Africa to "cure" bad dreams was described to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

The Committee granted a petition for special leave to appeal submitted on behalf of Chief Fakisandha Nkambule, a subordinate chief of Swaziland.

He was sentenced to death by the Special Court of Swaziland for procuring the murder of one of his wives, his brother and the wife of his brother.

It was alleged at the trial that he instigated a "medicine man" to administer poison to them because he suspected them of causing the death of his daughter.

The chief maintained that he had nothing to do with procuring the murders.

OVER GRAVES
The "medicine" for which he had asked, he declared, was the performance of the ceremony of "Luzego" to cure him of dreams.

This consisted of making a special rope and the placing of it by night, to the accompaniment of invocations, across the graves of the people whose spirits were believed to be causing the dreams.

In that instance the services of an efficient "medicine man" were obtained, it was stated, and a rope made by him was placed in the prescribed manner on the graves of the chief's mother and daughter.

Mr. Horace Douglas, K.C., who appeared for the chief, said he had found that the rope ceremony was practised by the ancient Greeks.

CCC Honour Youth Goes Out

LANCASTER, N. H.
Milford C. Martin will be 24 years old on June 15, and therefore will no longer be eligible for CCC service. He leaves camp with an enviable record, however, never having been late for roll calls, never absent without leave, and never having lost time through sickness or accident.



For writing the biography of her distinguished mother, Mrs. Eve Curie is presented the Clement Cleveland Medal, at New York Cancer Committee dinner. Presentation is by Dr. Francis Carter Wood.

Woman Falls Off Donkey, Strikes Gold

MEXICO CITY.

A ROARING camp with all the olden Klondike trimmings grew up like a mushroom when Maria Hernandez, a wrinkled, pipe-smoking prospectress, fell off her donkey in a shallow stream near Sombrerete, an old mining centre in Zacatecas State, Mexico, and got out covered in gold dust.

Maria's story attracted 5,000 men, women and children to the place at the run, and the strike is proving so rich that many women are scooping up with their hands as much as seven pounds of gold dust daily from the sparkling yellow sands of the brook's bank and bottom.

But Maria, who sold her claim for a song, is under a doctor's care for drunkenness.

£3 A DAY

A girl belonging to a can-can troupe rushed to entertain the new rich crazed by easy money accidentally fell into the brook, and when she was dragged out had literally golden arms and legs. She retrieved £10 worth of gold when she washed her skirt and petticoat.

Cleveland To See "Mounties"

CLEVELAND, O.—The Royal Canadian Mounted Police will come here to put on their "Musical Ride"—a spectacular drill on horseback to band music—at the Western Poultry Congress late in July.



Lorenzo Murias, 12, for whom Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will act as foster parent. He is a Spanish orphan in a refugee camp in France. Mrs. Roosevelt chose him after viewing many photographs.

WANTS SAFER PEDESTRIANS

INSTEAD of making roads safer for pedestrians, it might be better to make pedestrians safer for the roads.

Mr. Pleton Phillips, Chief Constable of Carmarthenshire, suggested this to the County Standing Committee recently. Twenty-six people were killed in road accidents in the county last year, he said. Half of them were pedestrians and pedal cyclists.

Primitive Pestle Found

ROCHESTER, N. H.
While working on a hurricane rehabilitation project, a WPA worker found a primitive pestle, believed used by the Pennacook Indians 250 years ago. It weighed five pounds and was 18 inches long and about the size of a man's wrist in diameter.

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peace can be achieved "unless these readjustments are made."

While the German press has blazoned the German volunteers' participation in the Spanish victory parade, the Government has prepared plans linking Germany and Spain in an economic system.

It is understood that a German economic delegation will proceed to Spain shortly to start negotiations for a trade pact and the inter-change of basic commodities and materials.
—United Press.

STALIN REJECTS LATEST PROPOSAL

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France-Turkish conversations, which have been terminated with France agreeing that Turkey can immediately occupy Sanjak and Alexandretta, will also be discussed.

Lord Halifax, British Foreign Secretary, arrives here from London at 3.48 p.m. on Saturday.

He will participate in an important conference with French leaders immediately upon his arrival, in which France is mediating to prevent a complete collapse of the Anglo-Soviet negotiations.—United Press.

Australia Imports Wool

CANBERRA, Australia.
Importing wool to Australia, the world's greatest wool country, is something like "carrying coals to Newcastle." Australia is obliged to import coarser wool than that which it produces to mix with the fine and superfine merinos for certain lines of fabrics.

The award of the Colonial Police Medal for conspicuous gallantry has been made to Inspector F. D. B. Tuckett, Sergeant G. C. Taylor, Sergeant W. S. McHardy, Lance-Sergeant C. S. Pile and Coxswain Chan Ng, of the Hongkong Police Force.

Major J. L. Willocks, D.S.O., M.C. has been appointed to be an official Justice of the Peace. Unofficial Justice of the Peace appointed are Dr. Chau Shek-nin and Messrs. A. Ritchie, D. J. Sloss, C.M.E., H. R. Sturt and Woo Hang-kam.

Dr. E. W. Stout, M.A., LL.B. (Edin.) has been appointed to be a Lieutenant in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps as from April 20.

Mr. F. C. Hall has been appointed to be a Member of the Urban Council for a further term of three years with effect from next Tuesday.

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NOTICE

THE MAY HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF VOTING MEMBERS will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, on Tuesday, 30th May, 1939, at 5.30 p.m.

ALL MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

By Order of the Stewards,
C. R. BROWN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 18th May, 1939.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the HONG KONG HOTEL on FRIDAY, the 2nd JUNE, 1939, at 11.00 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30th April, 1939.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, 26th day of May to FRIDAY, 2nd day of June, 1939, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SONS,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 20th May, 1939.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

Hongkong Stock Exchange weekly report issued yesterday says:

Trading during the week has been spasmodic and the turnover has not been of very large proportions. A good feature, previously mentioned in these weekly reports, is that there continues an absence of selling pressure. Buyers show interest from time to time but enquiries are not long sustained. Holders at times prepared to accommodate, but not at panic prices and when the demand ceases they remain content to exercise patience until the demand again sets in. Closing tone quietly steady.

Business Done During The Week
Hongkong Bank \$1,355, \$1,360.
\$1,355, \$1,360, \$1,355, \$1,360.
Union Insurance \$437½, \$435.
Wharves \$105, \$107, \$107½.
Docks \$17½, \$17½, \$17.65.
Providents \$4.70, \$4¾.
Hotels \$5¾, \$5.80, \$5¾.
Lands \$34¼.
Humphreys \$7.80, \$7.80.
Tramways \$16½, \$16.60, \$16.70.
\$10.00, 10¼, \$10.55.
Yau-mat Ferries \$22.70.
China Lights (Old) \$8¼, \$8.55.
Electrics \$56¼.
Sandaen Lights \$12¼.
Telephones (Old) \$24.
Dairy Farms Ex-Rights \$21½.
\$21¾.
Dairy Farms Ex-Rights \$18¼, \$15¾.
Watson \$7.80, \$8, \$7.95.
New Engineering Sh. \$7.70.
Marsmans (H.K.) 3/0.
Changes—4.00 p.m. (Closing quotations)
Buyers

H.K. Bank \$1,357½.
H.K. Wharves \$107.
H.K. Docks \$17¾.
H.K. Hotels \$5¼.
H.K. Lands \$34¼.
H.K. Tramways \$16½.
H.K. Ferries \$55¼.
H.K. Electrics \$56¼.
Dairy Farms Ex-Rights \$21½.
Sellers

H.K. Bank \$1,365.
China Lights (New) \$5.60.
Sales
H.K. Wharves \$107½/108.
H.K. Docks \$18/18.10.
Providents \$4.75.
Telephones (Old) \$23.65.
H.K. Electrics \$56¼.
Dairy Farms Rights \$15¾.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, May 19.			
New York Cotton			
July	Opening	Closing	
Oct.	8.84/85	9.78/79	
Dec.	7.93/95	7.91/91	
Jan.	7.75/75	7.70/70	
Mar.	7.72½/74a	7.63/63	
May	7.65/65	7.62/62	
Spot	7.67/67	7.62/62	
New York Rubber			
May	15.88b/10.02a	15.94 N	
July	15.89/90	16.00/00	
Sept.	15.92/92a	16.00b/03a	
Dec.	16.02b/05a	16.03b/04a	
Mar.	16.03	16.07 N	
Spot	16.03 A	16.07 N	
Total Sales for the day—90 tons.			
Chicago Wheat			
May	74½/74½	74½/74	0%
July	74½/74½	74½/74	0%
Sept.	74½/74½	74½/74	0%
Thursday's Sales	11,833,000	bushels.	
Chicago Corn			
May	51/51½	50¾/50¾	0%
July	51¾/51¾	51¾/51¾	0%
Sept.	51¾/51¾	51¾/51¾	0%
Wholesale V.			
May	05¼/7	04¼/04¼	0%
July	00%	00%	00%
Oct.	00%	00%	00%

G. R.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Kau Pui Shek, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

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THE INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Fifty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on Thursday, 25th May, 1939, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 18th May to the 8th June, 1939 inclusive.

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the Honan-Hupeh border, the Japanese are fleeing southward into Hupeh.

Confused fighting rages in central and north Hupeh. The Chinese drives on the Hankow-Chungking highway and the Kinghsan-Chungking highway are unrelaxed.

On the Kinghsan-Chungking highway the Chinese have forced their way to Sunkiao, creating a direct threat to both Kinghsan and Chungking. Heavy damage has been done to the Hankow-Ichang highway near Taosich, 66 miles northwest of Hankow, disrupting Japanese military transport.

Hard pressed by the Chinese, the greater part of the 4,000 Japanese concentrated at Taoyang, southwest of Tungpeh, across the Honan-Hupeh border have been withdrawn. The Chinese continue to bring pressure to bear upon the town.

The Chinese smashed into Tungtsinkang and Laoying, both west of Taoyang, on Thursday. Continuing their advance, they recaptured Changchialai and Yushan, north of Chungking, inflicting considerable casualties.—Central News.

Chokiang Fighting

KINHWAI, May 20.—Launching a fresh attack Chinese forces encircling Tungtsinkang, southwest of Kashing in northern Chokiang, smashed into the town on Monday night.

The Japanese, who suffered severely, withdrew behind their barricades at the east gate and held out stubbornly.

The Chinese retired from the town the following morning upon the arrival of large numbers of Japanese reinforcements from Tsungteh and Kashing. Prior to their withdrawal, they set fire to the bogus hien government building and the police bureau.

The Japanese reinforcements from Kashing were intercepted on the way by a Chinese unit. During the ensuing fight two of their launches were sunk and many Japanese killed.—Central News.

Chinese Fast For 24 Hours

Save Money To Aid Nation's War Chest

CHUNGKING, May 20.

AIR RAID refugees in Chungking went without food yesterday and contributed the money thus saved to the State in aid of armed resistance.

They have decided to issue a circular telegram to the whole nation urging more donations to the war chest, and also a telegram paying respects to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek for his leadership in the national crisis.—Central News.

Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., Lieutenant R. P. Phillips and Captain A. M. Thornhill have resigned their commissions in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps. All have received permission to retain their present rank.

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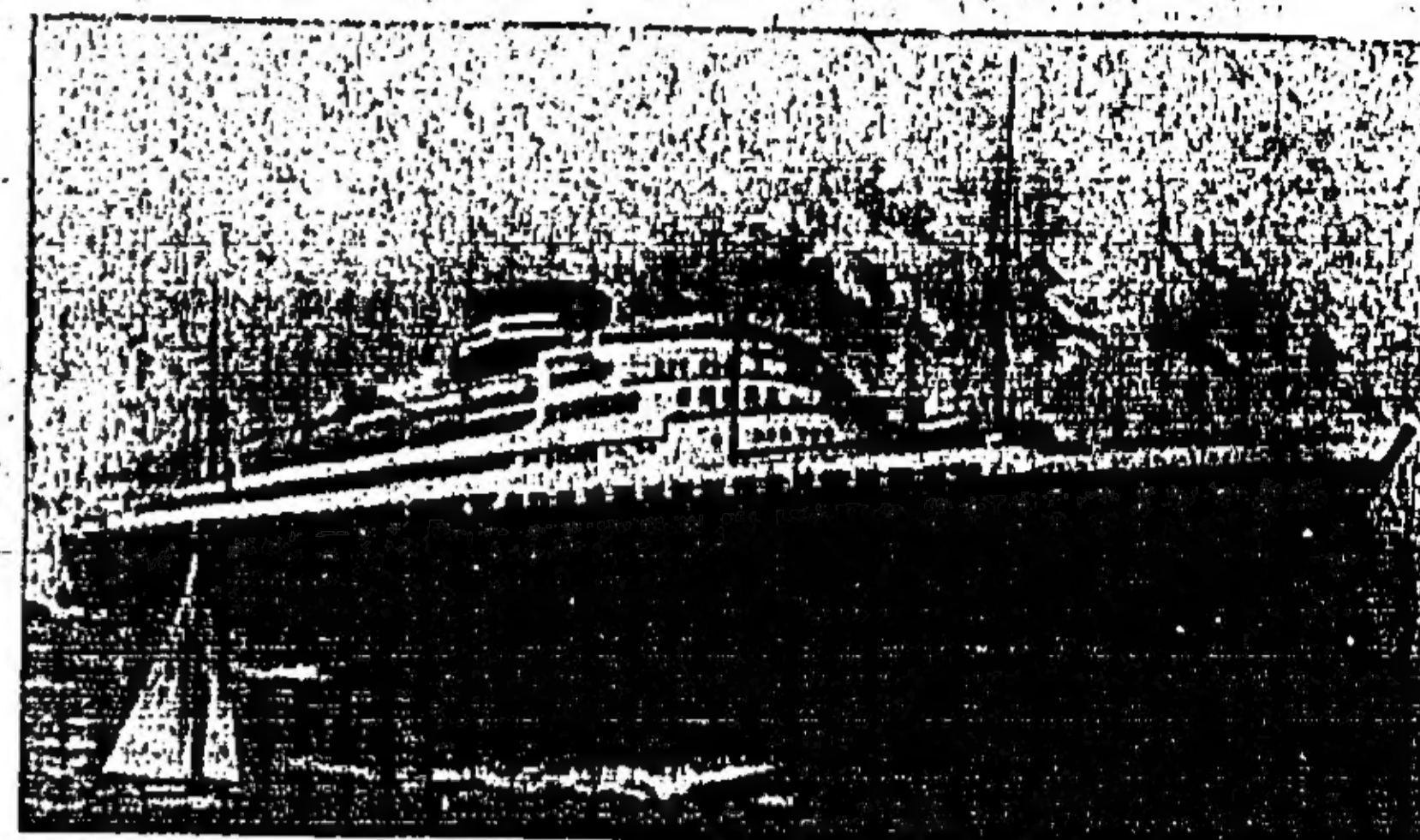
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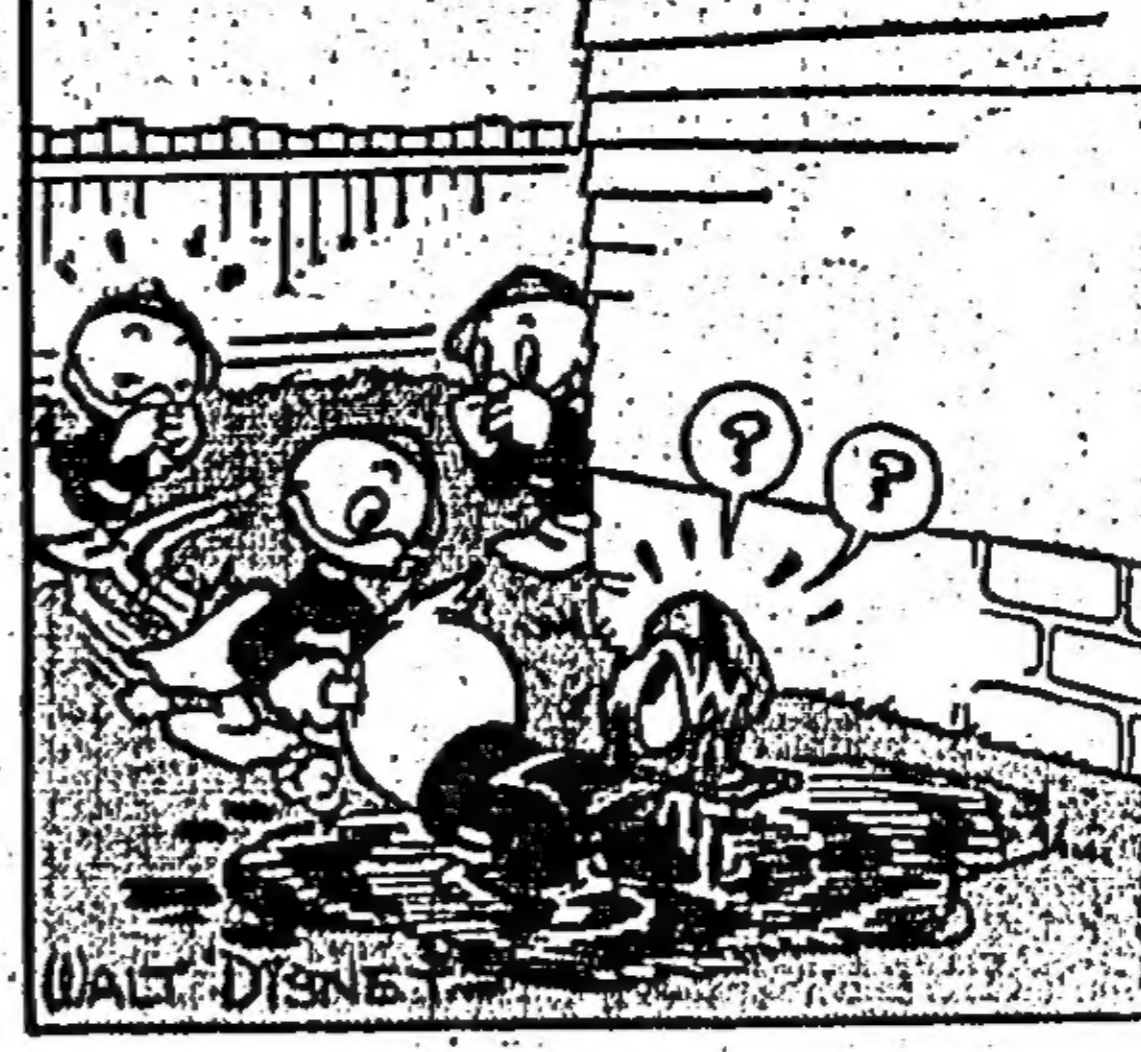
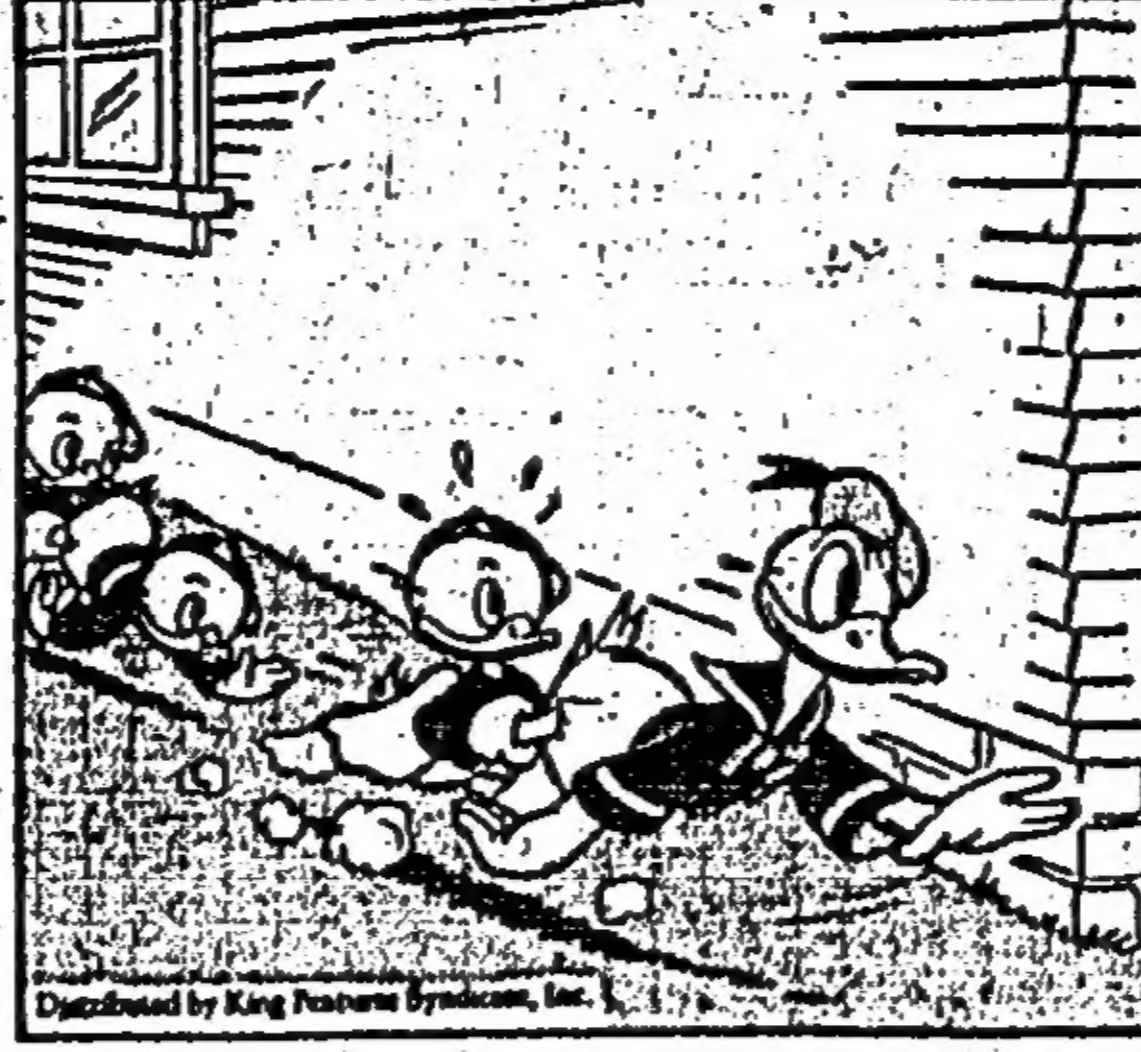
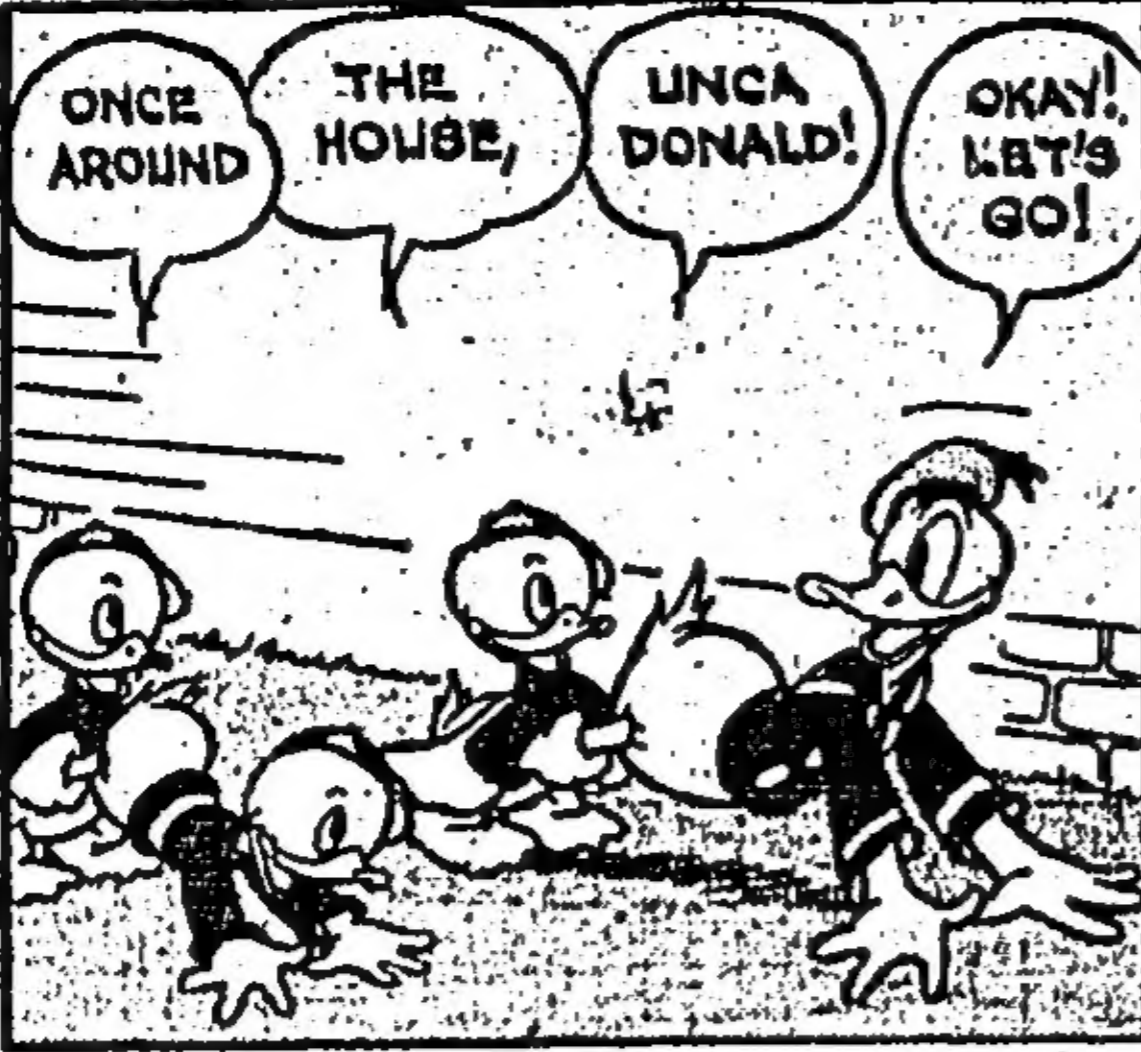
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Injury From Mustard Gas
Mustard gas, whether in the form of liquid or of the vapour which the

liquid gives off, will injure any part of the body with which it comes in contact. It also "contaminates" clothing, or other objects exposed to it, making them dangerous to have near you or to touch until they have been "decontaminated".

If you have come in contact with the liquid or vapour of mustard gas change all your clothing as soon as possible, put it right outside the house, and wash yourself thoroughly with soap and water.

Your shoes should be taken off before entering the house and left outside. Any outer garment which has actually touched liquid gas should be taken off immediately.

To be of use, the washing and changing must be done within twenty minutes at the outside. Take these precautions yourself if you can take them quickly; if not, go to the nearest first aid post.

If liquid gas has been in contact with your skin, wash that part of yourself immediately with soap and water, then change and wash as described above. If you cannot take these measures at once, go to the nearest first aid post straight away.

If you have been actually splashed with liquid gas or have passed through an area which has been splashed with it, go to a first aid post for further treatment after

taking the precautions described above.

If Fire Breaks Out

1 Do your best to put the fire out yourself.

2 If you cannot do so, summon help at once by calling a fire patrol, air raid warden, or policeman. Have someone on the look-out so that when helpers arrive, you can show them at once where to get to work.

3 See to the safety of all those in the house. If the refuge-room is in danger, get the occupants out. See that they have their respirators on and know what to do.

4 If the gas pipes in the house are damaged, turn the gas supply off at the main, if this has not been done already.

Any ordinary fire can be put out with water, which should be applied, with force, at the seat of the fire. A fire resulting from an incendiary or explosive bomb is like an ordinary fire. It is only the incendiary bomb itself which requires special treatment.

Keep in mind the following rules. Close all doors and windows and keep them closed. If room doors are left open the staircase will act as a flue and the fire quickly spread. A closed door will confine the fire for a time.

If you have to open a door which

may have fire on the other side, and it opens towards you, place your foot a few inches from it before turning the handle. The door may fly open, but your foot will check it. The door will protect you against smoke, flame and hot gases, and you can shut it again if necessary. By keeping close to a wall, it is often possible to move quite safely about a room or a corridor or down a staircase which has been weakened by the effect of fire.

When you have to go near the seat of a fire, keep low and crawl if necessary, because the smoke and fumes are much less thick near the floor.

If a person's clothes catch fire, roll him on the ground, preferably in a rug or blanket.

Incendiary Bombs

You can tackle a small incendiary bomb yourself (better if you have someone to help you) if you will follow these directions. You will also be able to get proper instruction about it.

The bomb will burn fiercely for a minute or so, throwing out burning sparks, and afterwards less fiercely. It will set fire to anything inflammable within reach. You should try to deal with it before it has caused a big fire.

Before you can get close enough to do anything, you will probably have to cool down the room with water, preferably with a line of hose. There are two ways of dealing with the bomb itself.

1 It can be controlled by means of the Stirrup Hand Pump with a spray of water which, although it does not extinguish the bomb, makes it burn out quickly and helps to prevent the fire spreading. Water must not be used on a bomb in any other way.

2 If it has fallen where you can get at it, it can be smothered with dry sand or earth. A bucket full of sand or earth is enough to cover and control a small bomb. Have a long-handled shovel to use with it. Immediately the bomb is smothered, shovel or scoop it into the sand container or bucket and take it out of doors. If a bucket is used, two or three inches of sand or earth must be kept in the bottom to prevent the bomb burning through. Remember that the bomb might

burn through the floor before you have had time to remove it, and you might have to continue to deal with it on the floor below. Act promptly. Prompt action may be the means of saving lives. Prompt action will save property. Prompt action will prevent serious damage. Prompt action will defeat the object of the raid.

When Out Of Doors

If you are out of doors at the time of an air raid, seek shelter at once. If it is impossible to get under cover it is safe to lie on the ground than to stand up, unless you stand in a doorway or narrow archway.

A limited number of public refuges will be available which will provide some protection for those caught in the streets. Remember other people caught out of doors.

If you have any space to spare in your refuge-room, and there is no special reason for not admitting strangers, be ready to take in someone who is caught in the street outside.

When You Come Out

Remember that gas may still be about after the "Raiders Passed" signal has been sounded.

If you detect gas in your house, keep your refuge-room closed up, but open all the other windows and doors. If you are in doubt, summon an air raid warden.

If you know bombs have fallen close by, go all round the house to see if any damage has been done. Look out of doors to see if your neighbours want any help.

If you have turned off the domestic gas supply at the main, inspect every gas point as soon as you turn it on again to make sure that no tap was left on or has been turned on accidentally.

Unexploded Bombs

If you know of a bomb which has fallen but has not exploded, tell a policeman or air raid warden at once.

Leave it alone and keep away from it. It may still explode, even some time after it has been dropped. But this does not apply to a small incendiary bomb, which may be carefully picked up, if it is in a building or dangerous place, and carried in a bucket of water to a place of safety.

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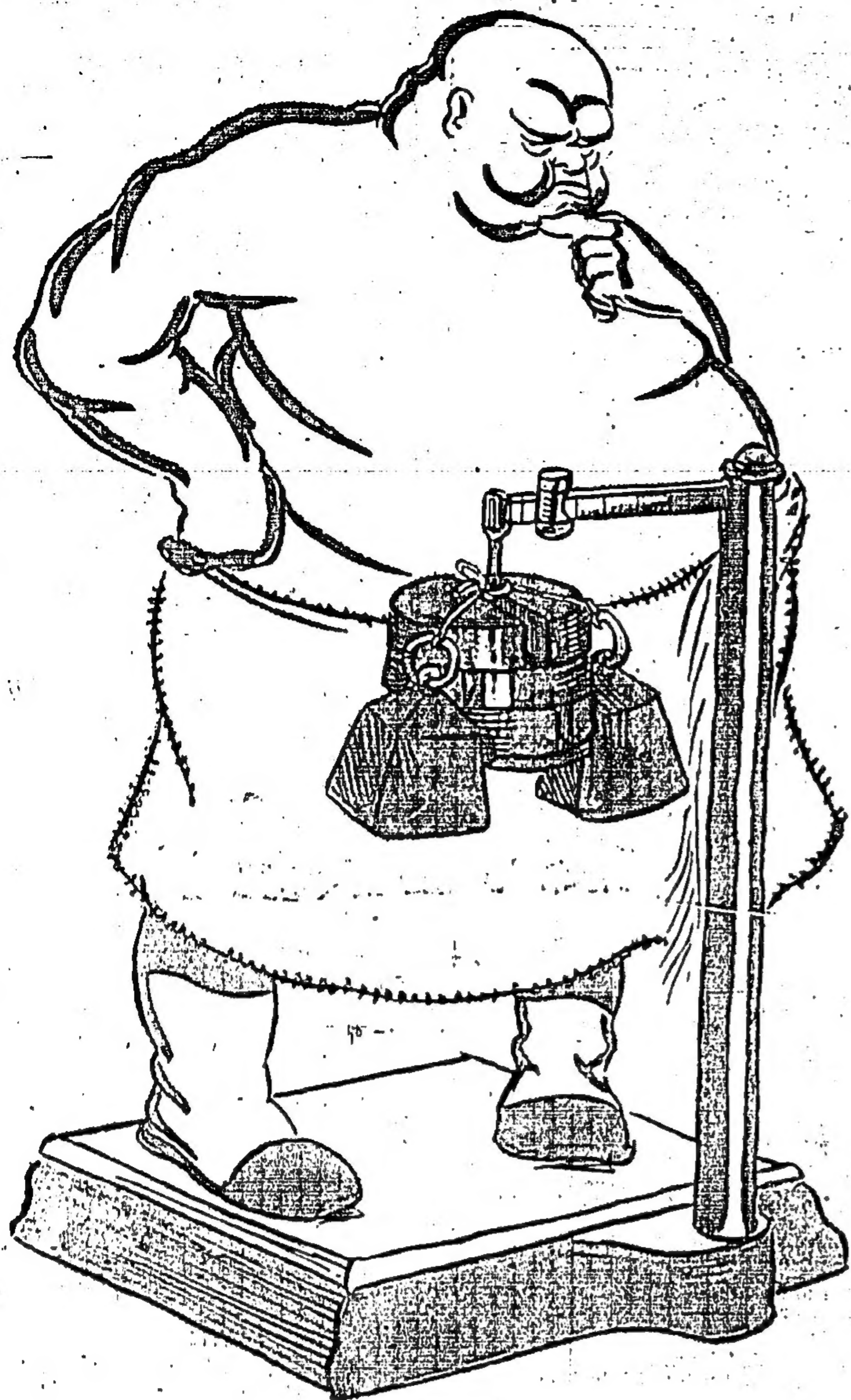
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EMPIRE NEWS

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OTTAWA. Six thousand guests who are expected to attend the garden party at Government House on the occasion of the King's visit on May 20 will partake of three enormous cakes, each weighing 200lb.

Other items will be 13,500 sandwiches, 3,000 sausage rolls, 6,000 chicken patties, 3,000 jelly puddings, 6,000 eclairs, 600 bricks of ice-cream and 150 gallons each of tea, lemonade and coffee.

Three large marquees will be erected for the occasion on the lawns of Rideau Hall, the Governor's official residence.

Commemorative Stamps.—When King George and Queen Elizabeth stepped ashore on Canadian soil at Quebec post offices from coast to coast put on sale three commemorative postage stamps. The 1-cent stamp has full-face portraits of Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret Rose. All three stamps are double size.

INDIA

U.S. EXPEDITION TO HIMALAYA PEAK

BOMBAY.

Six American climbers, who are hoping to climb K2, the second highest peak in the world, arrived here recently. K2, 28,280ft high, lies in the Karakoram Range of the Himalayas, which separates Kashmir from Eastern Turkestan.

The expedition, which is under the auspices of the American Alpine Club, is being led by Mr. Fritz Wiessner, who was a member of the 1932 American expedition to Nanga Parbat.

The attack on the mountain is planned for the beginning of July. The lightest equipment possible will be taken.

30 Years in India.—Sir George Campbell, senior resident partner in Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co., of Calcutta, and leader of the European party in the Bengal Legislative Assembly, has retired after 30 years in India.

JAMAICA

LABOUR LEADER BANS NATIONAL ANTHEM

KINGSTON, Jamaica. Mr. Alexander Bustamante, the Labour leader, has announced that the Trade Unionists will no longer sing the National Anthem at their meetings owing to dissatisfaction at what he calls the interference of the police who attend the meetings and take notes of his speeches.

Instead they will sing the Union song, "We will follow Bustamante till we die."

More than 18 acres of sugar cane were recently burnt on the Richmond estate, where the labourers are on strike on the question of wages.

AUSTRALIA

DEMAND FOR MR. S. M. BRUCE AS PREMIER

MELBOURNE.

The Melbourne "Herald" and "Sun" in leading articles recently strongly urged the recall of Mr. S. M. Bruce, High Commissioner in London, to become Prime Minister in succession to Mr. Lyons.

Mr. Bruce, who left England on December 10 for an official visit to Australia, was due back in England this month. After completing his five years' term as High Commissioner in London, Mr. Bruce was re-appointed last September for a second term of five years.

During his recent stay in Australia, he advised Mr. Lyons's Cabinet about the international situation following the Munich agreement, and delayed his departure for London for some time at the request of the Cabinet.

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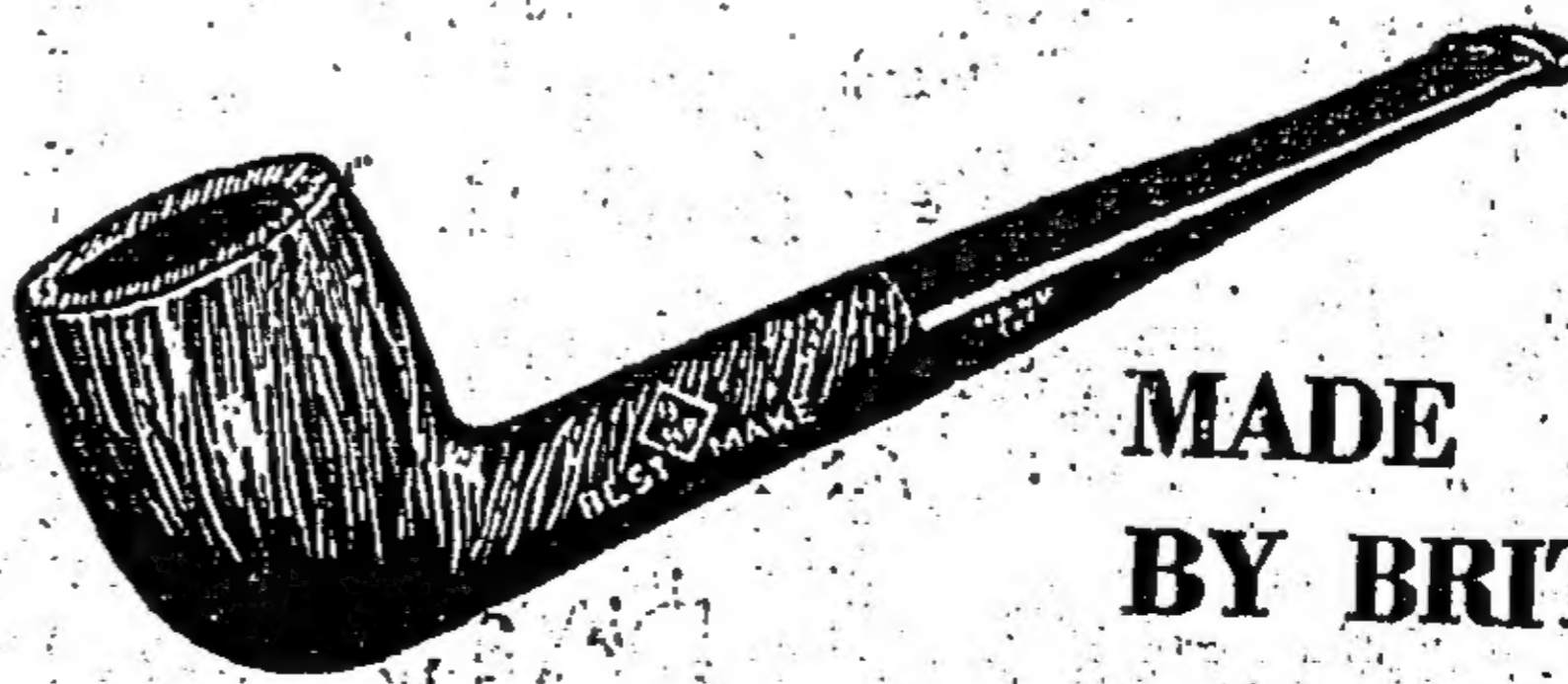
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Girls To Run Bureau Of Marriage



Ethel Merman, star of Broadway musical hit, "Stars in Your Eyes," who has joined with Jimmy Durante and other members of the cast in adopting a Spanish orphan, for whom they will act as foster parents. The boy is Hipylito Carreras, evacuated from Madrid in the early part of 1937, who is now living in a French refugee camp.

MOOSE NEARLY GETS HUNTER

NIPAWIN, Sask. Moose hunting might be all right if everything goes as it should, but when you come within a hair of losing your life it isn't much sport. A wounded moose charged D. D. Friesen, and the animal had almost touched the gun barrel before Friesen fired, killing the moose instantly.

JUDGE WITNESS

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass.—Judge Walter E. Sanford had a novel experience. After serving as justice of the Southern Berkshire District Court for 45 years, he was a witness in his own court-room.

Seeks Twelve "Apostles" Who Can Sing

EX-OPERA star William Simpson-Moor, known as the singing evangelist, has sent out an appeal from his home at Bramford, near Ipswich, for 12 "apostles" to help him fill Britain's empty churches.

By singing hymns adopted to the scores of famous operas he has already attracted big congregations to Suffolk churches.

Now letters from clergymen in all parts of the country are reaching him, imploring him to help them.

"When I pledged myself to fill churches again by the power of song," he said, "I did not realise the full potency of music."

"People write, telephone and telegraph from all over the country, asking me to help them in their problems."

"It takes so long to deal with all their requests that I can hardly find time to sing."

"That is why I am looking for twelve good men who will help me. I want men who will give up everything to devote themselves to this mission."

Musical Therapy Tried

San Francisco. Music has been added to the routine activity of the University of California's Hospital here as a part of a beneficial therapy for patients.

TWO young women recently painted a room in a New Bond-street, W., house which will be the office whence they will run a marriage bureau.

One is the daughter of a brigadier-general, and the other of a country clergyman.

Miss Mary Oliver and Miss Heather Jenner have come to the conclusion that there are far too many attractive young women in England and far too many marriageable Englishmen abroad who have never met.

Mary Oliver—she is the purson's daughter—told of their plans to run the bureau, which has been sanctioned by the Public Control Department of the London County Council.

PERSONAL TOUCH

She has been mannequin, film artist, riding tutor, waitress, and has travelled in India and Africa. She believes the "personal touch" will found happy marriages.

"There are thousands of really nice young women who have no way of meeting new people," she said. "Take a person's daughter, for instance. In many instances they go year after year without seeing anybody except the little circle of people in the parish."

"And there are Britons abroad—hundreds of them—who would like brides from the home country."

"Our idea is to put advertisements in newspapers abroad and those looking for wives will be invited to fill in a form which will tell all about themselves."

ON THE FILE

"At the bureau we shall keep a file of names of girls who are wanting husbands and we shall put them up as best we can. They will be invited to correspond with each other."

"Already we have the names of a number of potential husbands and wives. Eventually we hope to have an occasional cocktail party for the successfully matched couples."

But, the Oliver-Jenner partnership added, "we ourselves are not looking for husbands."

THE PATIENCE OF PATIENT PETER

Eighteen-year-old Peter Aston, of Macintosh Road, Romford, recently saw the outside world for the first time in 3½ years.

All that time he has been in bed in a little room at the King George Hospital, Ilford, recovering from an illness at first thought to be hopeless.

He has learnt basket-making and taught himself to play the banjo. Although forced to lie on his back he made his own film stories by piecing together films his friends brought and projecting them on to a wall.

As he said good-bye to the hospital staff, he declared: "What I am looking forward to most is my first breakfast at home."

Swing music is barred on the belief that it would excite patients and retard their cure. Electrical transcriptions of classical music only are being used.



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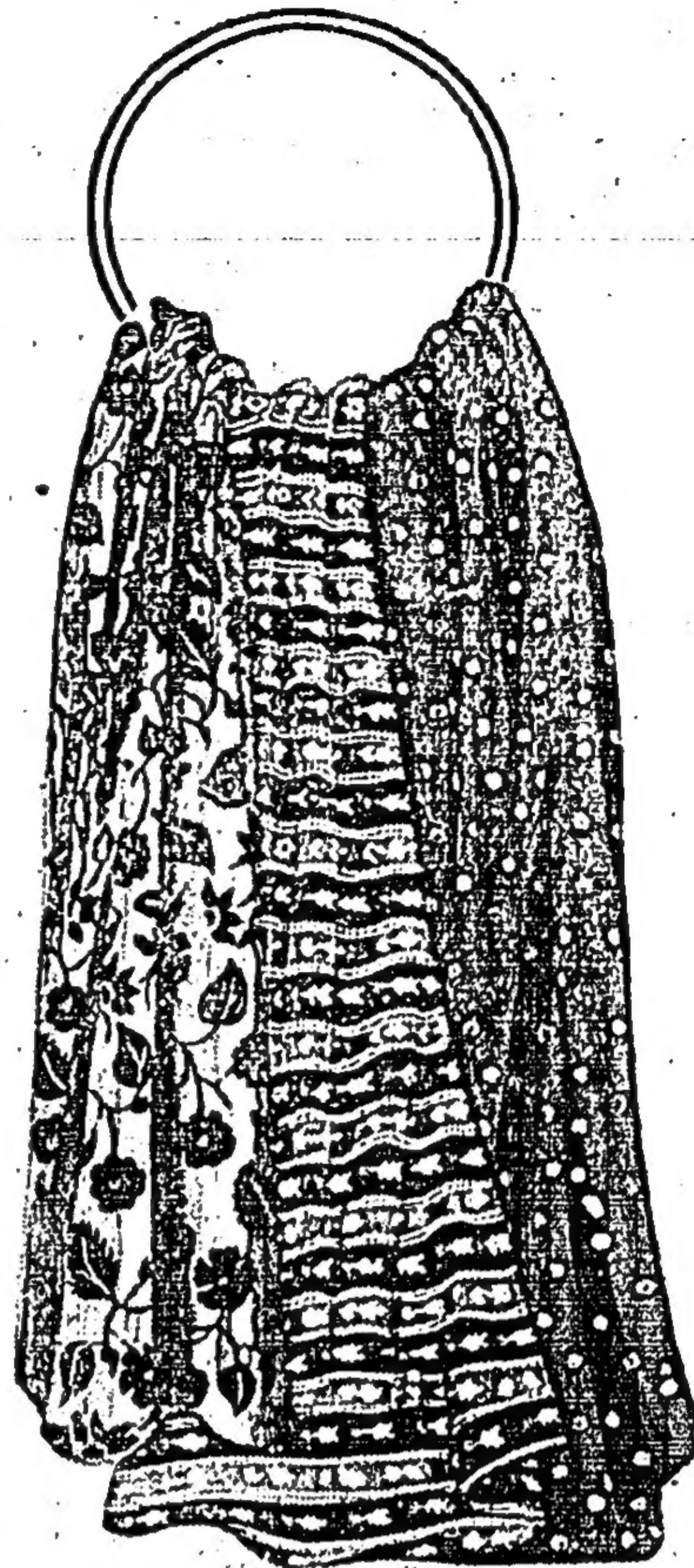
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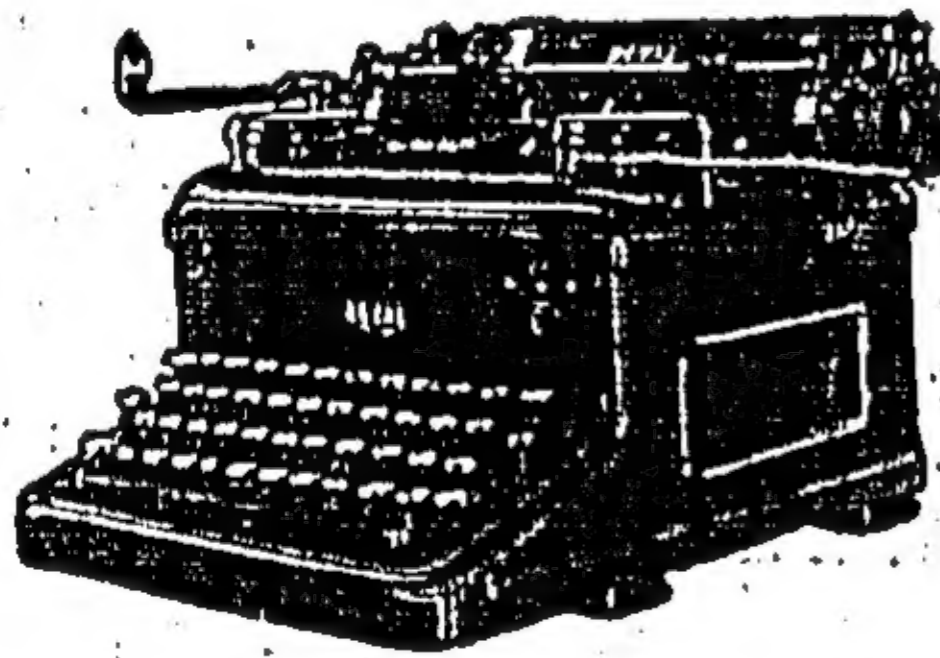
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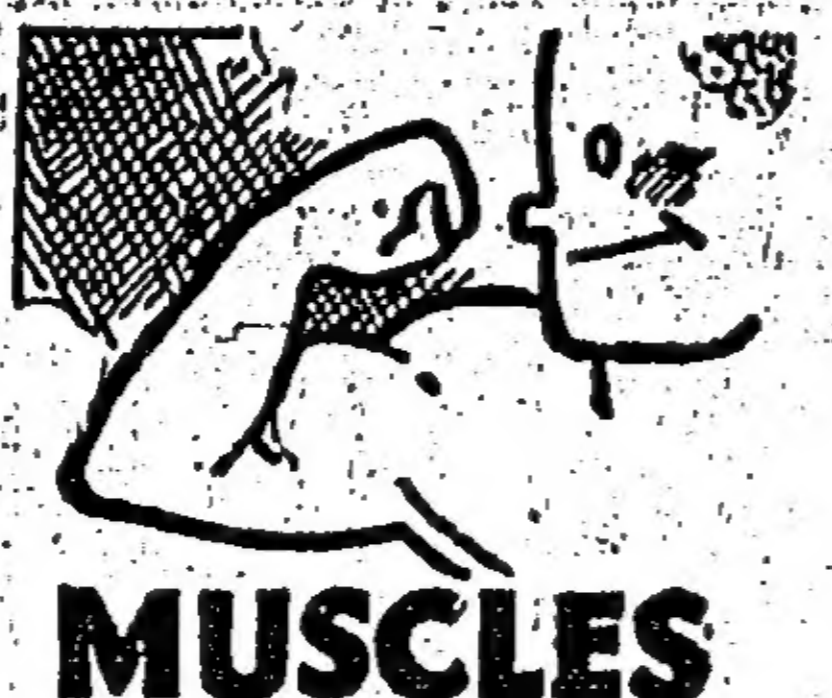
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WITH THE entry of General Franco's troops into Madrid in triumphal procession yesterday, one of the world's most devastating civil wars and a historic siege came to an official end.

The long months in which Madrid had defied the assaults of traitor and invader, of European and Moor, will stand out to the eternal glory of the Madrilenos and to the lasting shame of the Western democracies. It was the Madrilenos of 1808 who led the revolt—on a famous May 2—against Napoleon's tyranny; and the Madrilenos of 1936 showed that they were not a whit behind their ancestors of the Do de Mayo in their love of liberty.

For nearly two years and a half they endured appalling privations rather than yield to the foreign-aided forces without the gates. They suffered, as the people of Derry and Calais suffered, the gnawing pains of hunger and the grim ravages of disease; and they had to endure what the people of Derry and Calais never knew—torment and destruction from the air.

Extremity forced them to yield. They have lost none of the admiration of the world in so doing. The world's scorn will be reserved entirely for the breakers of treaties and pacts and for the insipience of statesmen who, professing the name of democracy, abandoned democracy to a fate it did not deserve.

In allowing his troops to participate in the Madrid victory parade, Signor Mussolini clearly indicates to the Democracies that Franco's victory was not a victory by the will of the majority of the Spanish people, but a victory of a dictatorial minority aided by outsiders.

Indeed, both Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini, despite the fact that they solemnly subscribed to the Non-Intervention Agreement, have made no secret of the fact that they would tolerate no outcome to the civil war save a victory for Franco.

Without their aid the rebellion would never, in all probability, have broken out. Without them, it would with complete certainty not have ended in a victory parade in which Franco took the salute in Madrid. Without them, Spain would have been at peace within six months, a peaceful and happy democracy. Instead, Franco's troops parade through a city that is torn and shattered. They celebrate the bondage of a nation of war cemeteries, of ruined towns, of bitterness, hate and sorrow. That is Franco's triumph.

There remains but one thing to say before closing the chapter in history marked "Spain's Civil War." That is to salute the moving heroism of the Spanish democrats. Their men have given their lives, their women have endured hunger and terror, in a superbly brave effort to save themselves and Europe from a brutal and evil thing.

MADRID CITY OF HEROES

HISTORY has no more splendid picture of courage and endurance in the name of freedom than the picture painted for the world in blood and human lives by the men and women of Madrid.

For two years and eight months—starved, bombed, shelled and forsaken by their friends in the name of non-intervention—they struggled to preserve the liberties we take as a matter of course.

The triumphal march of General Franco's polyglot forces through the city yesterday marks the end of this struggle. But it cannot mean the end of its effect upon the world's conscience.

HERE is the tale of Madrid since Franco's army of Moors, Spanish and foreign legionaries, swept up to the gates of the city from the west and south-west on November 4, 1936—four months after the revolt of the rebel leaders.

For four months the people of Madrid had watched the enemy driving nearer and nearer. Village after village fell, its untrained and ill-equipped defenders, clad in blue overalls and carrying rifles without ammunition, falling back in bewildered confusion.

The cry of "The Moors! The Moors!" was raised in the suburbs; the Government packed and fled; the city was about to fall. Franco's officers telephoned restaurants in Madrid, ordering luncheon for the following day.

But they did not eat that luncheon. While they dined, the first battalions of the International Brigade were marching into the city from the other side. Durruti's corps of Spanish anarchists, who had reached Madrid from Catalonia a few hours before, led the dash to the barricades. General Miaja thundered an order for "No retreat," and the attack was held—successfully.

OUTSIDE Madrid General Varela had tanks and planes and guns and trained men. Many of the defenders went unarmed into the line and snatched rifles from the hands of their dead comrades. Behind them in the streets of the city the women were shaking their fists at the rebel bombers and raising frenzied cries of defiance: "No Pasaran."

Trenches were dug, stone barriers raised from the granite setts of the street, the Junta of Defence was formed and the open city was transformed into a fortress.

Faced with this unexpected resistance Franco called for help. Reinforcements of men and arms

were poured into Spain from Italy and Germany; and in February, 1937, a new attack was made, this time on the south-east. Here the invader was checked at the battle of Jarama, in which 400 British members of the International Brigade were killed.

Meanwhile the daily air-raids which had wrecked a quarter of the city were called off. By day women waiting in queues for sugar and milk had been machine-gunned from low-flying planes; by night the steel-framed Telefonica (the skyscraper that housed the telephone exchange) had reeled with the shock of high explosive, and civilian homes had been crushed like matchwood.

By March the shelling had begun. Since Russian planes had arrived and Spaniards had learned to fly them, shelling was thought more prudent.

Madrid was now a city under siege in earnest. Order had

By Denis Weaver

The Telefonica, Madrid's only skyscraper



been restored. Lights were dimmed at 8 at night and officials still patrolled the streets in search of traitors. But mob rule was ended and there were no more daily executions in the park. One became accustomed to a sudden challenge in the darkness, the flash of an electric torch and the gleam of a revolver barrel while one's papers were examined.

SIX of Madrid's main roads out of the city had been cut. The front was ten minutes' walk from the Town Hall, itself pitted with bullet holes. Firing shook loose shutters in one's bedroom at night and new shell holes appeared each morning in the main streets.

Then, with a reassuring army of Italian "volunteers" at his back, Franco thrust again, down the Guadalajara road from the north-east. For six days they advanced unchecked until, within a few miles of Guadalajara itself, the Thaelmann Battalion

blown over Madrid by the wind from the Sierras.

Madrid's next enemy was the cold. All through the winters of 1937 and 1938 there was no fuel, and food was shorter than ever. The death of cats had long been a grim joke; now there was a scarcity even of dried fish and beans.

It was a dreadful winter, yet across the main streets, in the Alcala and in the battered Puerto del Sol, banners were being strung: "Madrid, nuestro Madrid, ejemplo al mundo!" (Madrid, our Madrid, the world's example).

All this time the enemy had been entrenched in the western suburbs. Fifteen thousand shells had fallen on the city, killing 5,000 civilians, wounding 10,000. In the Telefonica alone were 250 shell holes. Butter, eggs, coffee, fish, fresh meat had long been memories. The shortage of vital foods had caused widespread tuberculosis.

SINCE then the tale of Madrid has been one of grim endurance while the rest of Spain felt Franco's hammer blows, of tightening of belts and—how strange it sounds—reorganisation of civilian life, re-opening of schools, improvement of hospitals and rebuilding of shattered homes.

But the nerves had been stretched too far. Beneath the surface dissonance had appeared. After the fall of Barcelona a party of anti-Government elements, led by Colonel Casado, revolted against Dr. Negrin, who fled; and a National Defence Council was created for the purpose of negotiating a surrender. On March 7 last those who wished to continue the war rose against the Council; and there was street fighting for a week on the issue of for or against continued resistance.

The resisters held strong positions in the north-east and south of the city, at the old racecourse and in the Atocha station. For some days they held out in the Telefonica, the Ministry of Marine and the Central Post Office. Casado drove them out with trench mortars, hand grenades and machine-guns, and the sequel was yesterday's march.

IT should be noted that not once during the siege was the Government called upon to quell even the slightest sign of revolt against hunger and hardship. The one revolt inside the city was against the men who wanted to throw in the people's hand.

Now it is ended. But the Madrilenos who held the attack through these long months of siege remain unconquered in their hearts.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Go ahead—laugh! But since you've become a candid camera fiend, we never get invited anywhere!"

CHILDREN'S "LET'S PRETEND"

SOME children have unusual ways of amusing themselves. For a long time "funerals" was one of the favourite games of a little girl friend of mine. A cushion on which roses were sewn was always used as a wreath, and it had a piece of paper pinned on, with the words "In loving memory." Plants were then placed right round the "grave."

Cemeteries had a great fascination for this little girl. It was only with difficulty her mother got her to pass one by without going in to see it, so I suppose that's what gave her the notion to amuse herself in such a manner.

After she had her tonsils taken out she forgot about the funerals, and operations then became her favourite pastime. Her doll was continually having her tonsils removed, a couch being used as the operating table. A formidable array of instruments, including a bread saw, a screwdriver, a tin opener, a cork-screw, and a pair of pliers, were all laid out in readiness on a chair.

The tonsils seemed to grow very quickly again, judging by the number of times the operation had to be performed, but eventually a cure was effected.

Her wooden horse, which was called Bessie, then came in for a great deal of attention. When Bessie was new she had a long tail and mane, but, poor thing, she was taken so many times to the "hairdresser" to have them bobbed that after a while

she looked as if she would be the better for some hair restorer.

A little boy whom I know was very fond of pretending he was a minister, and was always holding "services." One of his brothers acted as beadle, and the other members of the family as the "congregation." A chair turned on its side and a stool took the place of a pulpit, and the "service" was gone through with hymns, psalms, sermon, and prayers.

We had visions of his being a real minister when he grew up, but at one of the "services" he thought he was saying his night prayers, and after the "amen" he said "Good-night, mummy!" So, of course, that made the "congregation" burst out laughing.

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DECORATION CONFERRED. The Governor presenting a Medal to Mr. Chan Sek-pui, St. John Ambulance Officer.—*Ming Yuen.*



WEDDING OF THE WEEK. Group photograph taken on board H.M.S. Tamar after the recent wedding at St. John's Cathedral of Mr. Jack Yuan Hutton-Potts and Miss Antonia Ursula Cohen.—*Mee Cheung.*



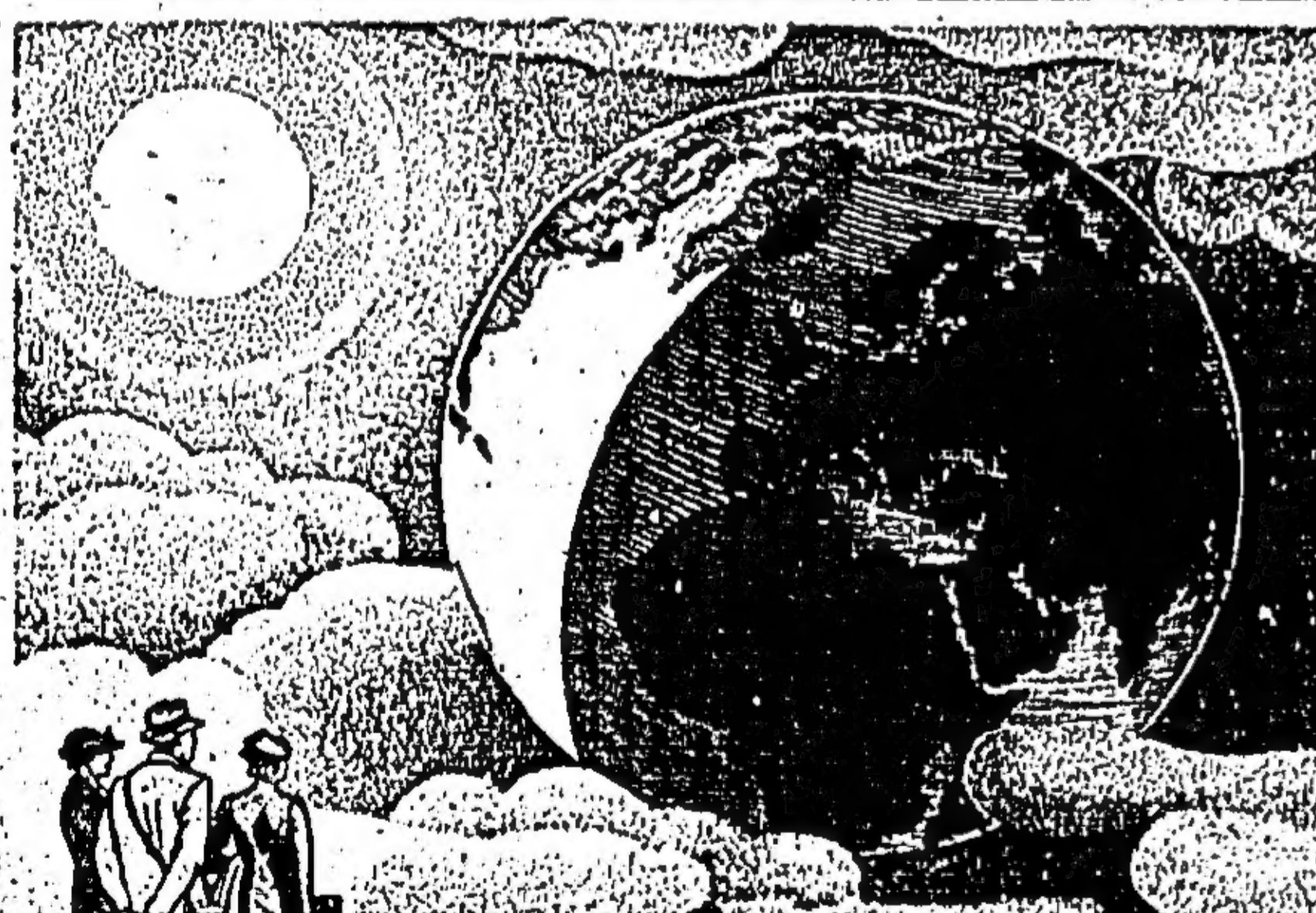
BOWLING GREEN CEREMONY. Group photograph taken after the recent opening by Sir Atholl MacGregor of an extension to the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. Included in the group are Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. T. E. Robson, president of the Club, and Mr. White, the Club's secretary.—*Staff Photographer.*



CHARMING BRIDESMAIDS. The Misses Kay and Lorna Lucas attended Miss Cohen at her recent wedding to Mr. J. Y. Hutton-Potts.—*King's Studio.*



FAMILY GROUP. Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Taylor and family photographed aboard the Empress of Japan recently. Mr. Taylor who is Senior Chief Inspector of the Sanitary Department, accompanied by Mrs. Taylor, left for Home recently prior to retirement.—*Staff Photographer.*



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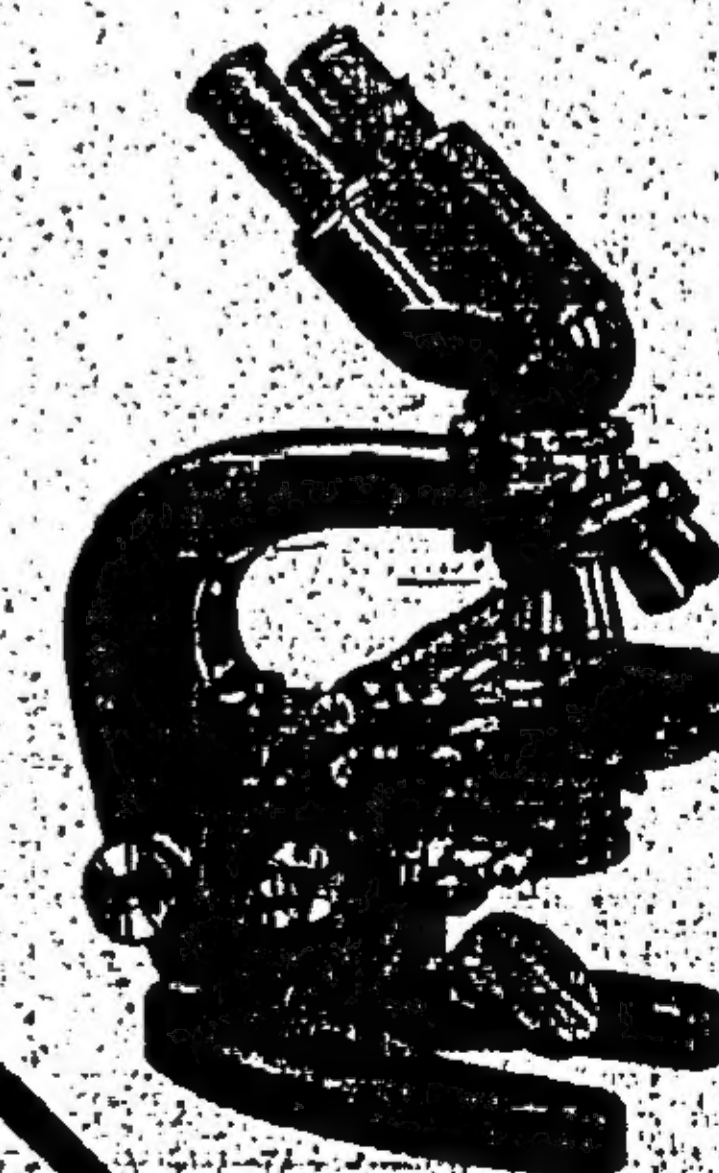
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Of Course You Know, But Are You Sure?

HERE is your weekly quiz—25 simple little questions which perhaps you should know and really think you do know—but on second thoughts are not quite so sure about!

In all except three of them the correct answer is set before your eyes—with, I admit, some possible, impossible, probable and improbable other answers. You've got to be careful of only one thing—not to select the 'wrong' 'un'. If you do, you lose two points.

Well, two points for each correct answer and anything less than a 30 total puts you in the beginners' class.

1. Probably you'll deny that you ought to know this—still, you'll get a great kick out of being able to tell all your friends who didn't go to school that damaskening is the art of:—

Performing difficult manoeuvres on skis; putting the pattern on damask table-cloths; making up for the theatre; inlaying metal; ballet dancing.

2. Seeing that you've watched the wife pacing the floor while he or she has been cutting them—how many teeth does a baby have:—

10; 4; 16; 20; 32; far too many.

3. These high seas you hear people talking about... you know, "I went sailing the high seas, etc."; well, strictly speaking, the high seas are:—

Mountainous waves; all the seas of the world; the entire sea-space beyond a three-mile limit of the shore; seas above land level; polluted oceans.

4. Just score out the one in this list who wasn't one of The Big Three at the Versailles Peace Conference:—

Georges Clemenceau; David Lloyd George; Woodrow Wilson; Winston Churchill.

5. Tut, tut, if you don't know, probably you are the only one in the world who doesn't know that the Aztec Indians were natives of:—

Bolivia; Argentina; Paraguay; Mexico; Peru; Arizona.

6. Where is the world's largest cathedral—come on, you ought to know that! Yes, you're right, it's in:—

Rhemes; Liverpool; London; Milan; Paris; Melbourne; Rome.

7. You good at mental arithmetic? How good? Can you do this in a flash—well, say two flashes:—

8 x 6 x 10 plus 20 x 0 x — 100 x 2 equals?

8. If you got fed up with flat life and dig yourself out a nice rock cave to dwell in you mustn't get annoyed if your friends refer to you as a:—

Recluse; troglodyte; neovillate; geologist.

9. What would YOU do with a snood? Would you:—

Wear it in your hair; feel like kicking him; enter it in a poodle show; have it for lunch; or would you say there is no such thing.

10. Sometimes a barrister, especially when he's a big shot and there's a lot of money in the case, asks his client for an extra fee which is called a:—

Refreshment; refresh; refreshment; refresher; recherche; rehabilitation.

11. Join the navy and become a lieutenant and then when you feel like boasting you can tell your friends that you hold a naval rank equivalent to an army:—

Sergeant-major; colonel; lieutenant-colonel; major; captain; quarter-master-sergeant; generalissimo.

12. The Exodus Book of the Bible is specially notable because it:—

Is the first book in the Old Testament; the last; contains the Sermon on the Mount; contains the Ten Commandments; is the shortest Book; the longest.

13. A man doesn't often get a chance to say last words, and when he does they become justifiably famous—like Hamlet's last words, which were:—

Out vile spot! My kingdom for a horse! Give us a kiss, Hardy; The end is silence; Undo this cursed button; Damned be he who first cries "Hold enough"; Pickle my bones in alcohol.

14. The Union Jack ought to be pretty familiar to you and you doubtless know that there are some blue triangles in it, yes, but how many of those blue triangles are there?

Two; four; six; eight; ten.

15. You've all heard of acne and if you haven't it's not my fault. Acne is:—

A skin disease; a mountain; the highest point; a kind of carriage; a famous juggler.

16. I've played this card game bezique. I'm not ashamed to say, and one peculiar feature I noticed about it was:—

You play with cigarette cards; you only need an

eight of a pack; each player requires a pack; you are allowed to glance over your opponent's shoulder; all cards are of equal value.

17. Some people are unlucky enough to suffer from carbuncles and some people are lucky enough to own them. The kind of carbuncles people are lucky enough to own are:

Rare flowers; almost extinct animals; birds of gorgeous plumage; gems; fabulously lucky charms; rich, decrepit uncles.

18. It is possible—although quite improbable, mark you—that someday someone will give you a Percheron, in which case my advice would be to:—

Put it in your garden fish pool; see that it doesn't kick you; give it to the wife to wear; buy a nice kennel for it; read it; lead it to the Art Gallery.

19. "Zones," said the teacher, "are the five great divisions of the earth bounded by circles parallel to the equator, and the zone which the Arctic Circle bounds is the:—

Torrid; south temperate; south frigid; north temperate; benzene.

20. Different people suffer from all sorts of phobias—this-

phobia and that-phobia and some from photophobia. Those with photophobia can't stand:—

The light; family picture albums; photographers; cameras; moving pictures; opiciana.

21. You might be unscrupulous and have no scruples but even if you have only one scruple at least you have:—

Half a ton; six ounces; half a gramme; 20 grains; one drachm.

22. By casting your mind back a few years you should be able to remember what your history teacher told you and pick out the king who died in exile:—

Richard III; James I; William III; James II; Edward VI.

23. Last time I saw the flag of Poland it was:—

Red, white and blue; blue and white; red and white; red, yellow and black.

24. You know that photographers fix their negatives in hypo, don't you? Well, hypo is only an abbreviation—what's its full name:—

Hypoquinone; hypochloride; hyposensitive; hyposulphate of soda; hypocrite; hypodermic.

25. Excelsior, we learned at school, meant:—

On the up and up; higher; faster; upwards; brave; success; here come the cops!

(Answers on page 3)

Deanna Durbin In Love

HOLLYWOOD film executives were disturbed recently by reports that Deanna Durbin, 17-year-old singing star, has fallen in love.

According to her friends, she may marry soon, and her fiancé, they declare, is 23-year-old Vaughn Deane, assistant director of Universal Studios, described by many as "the man who gave Deanna the inspiration she needed in emotional scenes."

A Lay Sermon

NEVER was it more important for the Christian to remember that God's greatest gift to the world is continuous. "God so loved that He gave" is only half the Gospel message. The tense of the other half of life, as is present, "God so loves that He gives."

That is the essence of the discourse in which Jesus spoke of Himself as "the true bread from heaven," and it is inseparable from His assurance that He will be with us unto the end. The gift of God, through Christ, is

eternal life. But life requires nourishment, and the gift of God, through Christ, is the bread of life. Bread is everyday food, and the secret of living victoriously in times like these is the fact that Jesus Himself is our "daily bread." We should bear this in mind when using the prayer He taught us, noting especially that the petition for daily bread follows immediately after the words "Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven." The two things go together, for God's will can only be done by God's people in the strength which comes from Him anew every morning.

WOULD YOU PANIC?

HOW good are you in an emergency? Are you the sort of person who would keep calm and act quickly, or would you lose your head and fly into a panic?

It is important that you should know the answer to these questions because, sooner or later, you are sure to find yourself in some predicament demanding great presence of mind. Perhaps the safety, or even the life, of someone near and dear to you will depend on your ability to think and act quickly.

Resourcefulness comes from a variety of mental and physical attributes, not always discernible in the humdrum routine of everyday life. Do you possess them?

Answer this questionnaire truthfully, and you will find out. It is designed to test your character and reactions to certain circumstances. If your score is high you can have the greatest confidence in your capacity to deal with any situation which may arise. If, on the other hand, your score is low, you will be able to discover where the weaknesses lie. Forewarned is forearmed: correct it now—while there is time.

The Sight of Blood

1. Have you any knowledge—even elementary—of first aid?

2. Were you ever a member of the Boy Scouts or Girl Guides Association?

3. Does the sight of blood give you such nausea as temporarily to incapacitate you?

4. Have you ever looked after anyone who was ill?

5. What are your immediate reactions to a street accident? Do you:—

(a) Walk away?
(b) Go and look out of curiosity?
(c) Try to see if you can be of any use either in respect of calling help or attending to those hurt?

6. If you were a witness to an accident, and remembered all the details, would you consider it your duty to approach the authorities concerned—even if the information had not been asked for?

7. If you were in a room with someone whose clothes accidentally caught fire, would you:—

(a) Throw water on them?
(b) Tell them to stand still while you tried to take off burning clothes?
(c) Put them on the floor and roll them in a rug or blanket?

8. Have you fainted more than three times in your life?

9. Do you take much exercise in the form of sport, walking, gardening, housework, or dancing?

Reaction to Bad News

10. If you receive bad news or a shock do you:—

(a) Feel light-headed and giddy for a few seconds, but manage to overcome it?
(b) Become paralysed in thought for several minutes?

11. When anyone is recounting an experience or telling a joke would you say that you grasp the point as quickly as—if not quicker than—anyone else?

(b) Believe that anticipation is always worse than realisation?

12. On going to a place for the first time can you afterwards give a fairly accurate description of that place?

13. Are your first impressions of strangers generally correct?

14. Would you describe yourself as possessing an exceptionally vivid imagination?

15. Have you any irrational fears of:—

(a) Mice, spiders, snakes?
(b) The dark?

A Psychologist's Questionnaire

(c) The unknown?

(d) Loud noises?

16. A number of people have recounted that when actually faced with great danger or approaching death (through accident or illness) they've felt quite calm. Have you ever experienced this sensation?

17. If anybody were to tell you something in a great hurry and then rush away, would you:—

(a) Only partially remember what had been said?
(b) Become flustered and forget everything?

(c) Remember their words accurately?

18. Nobody likes a visit to the dentist, we know. When he hurts do you:—

(a) Tell him immediately?
(b) Endure the pain, believing that it is better to get it finished quickly?

19. Do you believe that if you are sufficiently determined to have a thing you will get it?

Parental Influences

20. Would you describe either or both of your parents as practical people, full of sound common sense?

21. Would you say that, as far as your childhood was concerned, they were fairly strict disciplinarians?

22. Have you held down a job for more than twelve months?

23. If, when crossing the road, traffic suddenly converged on you, would you:—

(a) Attempt to run back?
(b) Try to get across?
(c) Stand still?

24. Do you ever experience any difficulty in making your subordinates or those younger than yourself obey you?

25. Would you say that you display fortitude in bearing pain or enduring physical discomfort?

26. When you know that you are about to undergo some unpleasant experience, do you:—

(a) Work yourself up into a terrible state?
(b) Believe that anticipation is always worse than realisation?

27. Supposing someone offered you a job would you choose one with:—

(a) A moderate salary with no responsibility?

(b) A good salary and heavy responsibility?

28. When you have to make a decision do you:—

(a) Follow the advice of others?
(b) Decide entirely for yourself?

29. Are you always prepared to take the consequences of your own actions?

30. If a friend, entirely unaware, were to bring someone to your house whom you disliked extremely, would you:—

(a) Show your surprise?
(b) Control your annoyance for the moment, but explain the situation later to your friend?

(c) Not allow your feelings to show at all?

How to Score

In questions 1, 2, 4, 6, 9, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 29 every time you have said "Yes" score five points.

In questions 3, 8, 14, and 24, every time you have said "No" score five points.

In question 5, section C, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 7, section C, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 10, section A, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 17, section C, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 18, section B, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 23, section C, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 20, section B, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 27, section B, if you have said "Yes" score five points.

In question 28, section B, if you have said "Yes" score ten points.

In question 30, section C, if you have said "Yes" score ten points.

The highest possible score is 163 points.

100-163 points—You can be thoroughly relied upon in an emergency. You will keep calm and cool and will be able to deal with the situation. Also, as far as self-control, courage, and presence of mind are concerned, you are certainly above the average. You can have the greatest confidence in yourself.

50-100 points—In most emergencies you would come up to scratch. Your nervous reactions are normal and you are well balanced. It might be quite a good thing to take a course of first aid. This would give you added confidence in your capacity to deal with awkward situations.

Under 50 points—The less said the better. You must take yourself in hand and try to gain some knowledge of what to do in emergencies. Also try to cultivate more self-confidence. You are too different, and would mistrust your own judgments.

Puzzle Corner

Cryptogram

YZQABCZDY EBDQCHZBY
YCIJCKY CKLKEAMQ NU-
EZAY OKPY ZBJ MZESKPH
GQOJBTKYJ PQQ APAYZMMD
GNYEABJ.

Incomplete Division

From the figures given, try completing this problem in division:

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• 9 • •
• 0 • •
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• 5 • •

Letter Juggling

Try forming two different 6-letter words from the 6 letters given below. Use all 6 letters in each word: I O E N G R

How Many Tickets?

If there are 25 stations on a railroad, how many different tickets are required to connect every station with every other station?

A Few "DATES" For You to Match

The first on this list has been checked. Try matching the others in like manner:

1 mandate	plunder
2 edate	office worker
3 insidate	a command
4 eluidate	heart-shaped
5 edepdate	to satisfy
6 eadate	adjust affairs
7 eadate	reconcile
8 insidate	renew
9 valdate	explain
10 accomdate	tranquil

(Answers Appear on Page 3)



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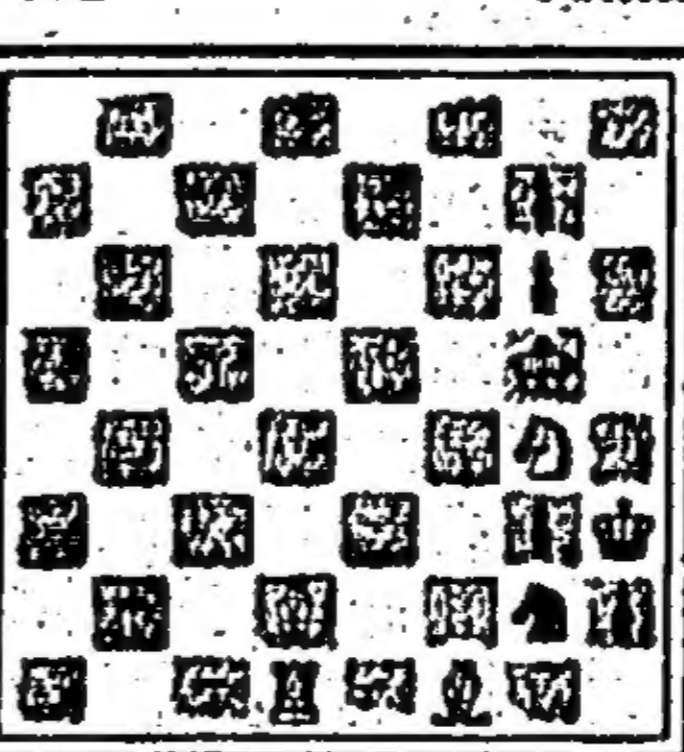
Nos. 108-109

Problem No. 108 10 Pieces



White to play and mate in two.

Problem No. 109 6 Pieces



White to play and mate in three.

SOLUTIONS TO LAST WEEK'S PROBLEMS

No. 106 1. R-K3 threatens
No. 107 1. Qxh6 BxQ
2. P-K4 Pxp
3. Kt-K4 BxKt
4. Qxh6 BxKt

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DEVELOPING PICTURES



Making an enlargement. Snapshooters who develop and print their own pictures can obtain interesting special effects, and derive more pleasure from their camera hobby.

MOST snapshooters have their films developed by a photo-finisher. For the beginner, this is probably the safest method, as the finisher's work is swift and usually the quality is excellent.

However, as the camera hobbyist gains in skill, he soon wants to develop his own pictures and make his own prints. Such experience is just as valuable as it is fascinating, for it teaches many things about producing better pictures.

One does not need a special dark-room for developing film or making prints. A table in the bathroom at night provides adequate "working space," and the window can easily be covered with cardboard to exclude stray light.

Simple kits contain the few preparations for solutions and trays needed for either negatives or prints. Film of the "chrome" type may be developed under a red photographic safelight, so that one can watch the pictures as they "come up" during development. For "pan" film, it is best to use an inexpensive film tank. Once the film is placed in

the tank, the regular room lights can be turned on. The tank method eliminates guess work with any kind of film but some think the "tray" or darkroom method is more interesting.

Only a few minutes are required to develop and "fix" a roll of film. It is then washed and dried, after which prints may be made at once. Making prints is even easier than developing film, since brighter light can be used.

After you have learned how to make "contact" also prints, you are ready to begin making enlargements. With a home enlarger, you can make your pictures in various sizes—change the composition of a picture by "masking"—and obtain special effects by double-printing, diffusion, and other devices that increase a picture's interest and charm.

Developing and printing your own pictures is a sure way to derive more pleasure from your hobby. Make up your mind to try it as you increase in picture-taking skill.

John van Galder

Negroes In School

East St. Louis, Ill. The board of education is considering transferring Negro children to two grade schools now used by white

children. The Negro grade school population has shown a 34 per cent. increase since 1930. The number of white children in grade school declined 10 per cent. during the same period.

Miner's great novel

ELEVEN years ago at a demonstration in Trafalgar-square someone sold me a paper-covered book of poems for a shilling. The poet was a young Scottish miner named Joe Corrie, and his verses sang with irony and bitterness of the myk and drudgery of the pit.

Now, Joe Corrie has written a novel which repeats the theme of his verses. *Black Earth* (Routledge, 7s. 6d.) pictures quite simply and quite horrifyingly the grim and inexorable tyranny of the Pit over the dwellers in a little mining town.

It brings them pit-conditioned hovels, pit-controlled babies, pit-truncated education, pit-fixed prices in the shops, pit-caused illness and death.

Mr. Corrie, you see, has written a Social Document but, fortunately, he is a sentimentalist at heart, and so his story continually struggles from the straight and rigid path of the doctrine, and becomes human and entertaining.

So, although this book solves no problems, it is a moving picture of real human beings working and striking, being heroes or blacklegs, gossiping, cursing, betting, being generous and being mean. They are neither all good

nor all bad, but like the rest of us (and this is what makes the social reformer's job so hard), just moral leopards, good and bad in spots.

★ ★ ★

MISS I. A. R. WYLIE shifts the scene from coal-digging to gold-digging. *The Young in Heart* (Cassell, 6s. 6d.) is one of a volume of short stories. It has the sentimental gaiety of a Capra film and tells sparklingly how a family of professional parasites sets out to sponge on a lonely old lady in a large London house. But a miracle of delayed spring takes place and good deeds come to town. Perhaps, however, you have already seen it translated into a most amusing film.

Another of Miss Wylie's stories, "Witches Sabbath," is an all-too-credible piece of horror about a little Jewish boy in a Nazi-controlled school.

★ ★ ★

BUT the book of the week for me has been Richard Oke's *Strange Island Story* (Arthur Barker, 7s. 6d.), which is all about a revolution in a semi-tropical British island, a small-scale Trinidad, called *Jamaica*.

It is enormously funny, very exciting, and tremendously well written, streaked with poetry and lightly-borne learning. The action is spread over a few days and the manner of telling the story—in recurring actions each from the point of view of a particular character—vividly adds to the onrush and inter-play of events.

And how preposterously, mercilessly real the characters are, the resident ruling classes and the ruled, both stowing in heat and superstition (native and imperial varieties).

The author mirrors their externals with the wit of Evelyn Waugh down to the last click of the dental plate, the last unspoken thought, the final idiosyncrasy too absurd to be imagined, and he burrows into their minds with the ironic persistence of E. M. Forster. It is remarkable with how little wisdom the world is governed. Sir Albany Pontoon, Governor of the island, quotes to himself in his bath at the outset of this book. It is the topical and significant theme of a brilliant novel.

Stuart Fletcher

Vagabond's Wife

I Married a Vagabond, by Rachel Latta Franck, New York: Appleton-Century.

ANYONE who has read Harry A. Franck's accounts of his wanderings on foot around the world knows a little about Rachel Latta Franck, his wife. Mr. Franck is not one to obtrude himself, or his family, between the reader and the far corners of the globe which he describes. But between lines it has been easy to discover that Mrs. Franck is practically the perfect wife for a vagabond, always ready to accept her half of a travel ticket and not worrying over much that it is rarely a trip de luxe.

Now Mrs. Franck has picked up a pen herself and the result is delightful, for Mrs. Franck has plenty to tell on her own account, an intimate, friendly story of countries and people from which emerges the picture of a family, two adults and five children, whose characters are revealed only in the play upon them and about them of different nationalities.

Halley made his advent on an English freighter at Puerto Colombia. Little Younger Slater joined them in Peking. Two more children call the United States their birth-place and Peter arrived in Sussex.

Mrs. Franck has taken care of them on trains in Japan, China, and Korea. She found schools for them in England, dipped in the canal to fill their baths when the water was shut off at their house in southern France, found a place to board them while she saw Scandinavia with her husband. And now they are all settled in an old farmhouse in Pennsylvania.

But not too settled. Education may "have put chains" on the family temporarily. There is a real desire on the part of the parents that their children shall grow up "inherently Americans," in spite of the fact that Peter was in six countries before he was a year old and that they all have learned to prattle in different languages. Mrs. Franck may come down the long tree-shaded lane each time with the same thrill of joy that this is "home."

But then too, she admits, "I never feel as much at home as when my trunk is locked, and my hat is on." And, knowing that she too is a vagabond, she concludes with "is this place we like best out of all the world? Perhaps it is—but we are dragging our anchor."



THIS lovely girl is one of many whose pictures illustrate "Majorca" (Cassell, 6s. 6d.), the frank and lively diary of a young artist, Francis Caron, who spent a painting holiday on the Spanish island.

Puzzle Corner Answers

Cryptogram: Saturday's cryptogram was difficult because hints are lacking, otherwise not unusually obscure.
Incomplete Division: 52,550 divided by 225, answer 102.
Letter Juggling: Ignore "region." How many tickets? 500 tickets.
A Few "DATES" For You to Match: Mandate—a command; sedate—tranquilly; intimidate—overawe; elucidate—explain; depredate—plunder; candidate—office seeker; cordate—heart-shaped; liquidate—adjust; attire—validate—reality; accommodate—reconcile.

Girls' and Boys' Corner



This is all my own work

Name Age
Address

Dear Kiddies,

The results received for last week's competition were very good. Most of you sent in splendid entries and it took me some time to pick out the winners. However, after careful consideration, I have decided to award the prizes this week to:

Hope Linquist (aged 13), House No. 4, Cheung Chai.
Strange (aged 10), 125, Wong Nei Chong Road.
Sue Jordan (aged 7½), 51C, Nathan Road.
Coupons have been sent to Hope, Strange and Sue which I want them to bring to the "Hongkong Telegraph" offices in Wyndham Street. The coupons will then be exchanged for money prizes. Specially commended for excellent work are the following:
Sally, Kenneth Moffat, David Mackie, David Lindell, Helen Wahl, Mary Grace Ashe, Mabel Swaine, Hazel Selator, Yung

Yim-yin, Peter Venable, V. McDonald, Joseph Thomas Lee, Owen Hong King, G. Jhamat, Kotia Daniloff, L. Becker, Joseph Merado, C. Tulebin, Young K. Lee, Charles E. Clark, C. Ross, Joan Gordon, W. M. Mah, Paul Verschoor, Intermediate, Margaret Venable, N. Egan, Pamela Millett, P. Jefferys, Ellen Peters, Margaret Hall, P. Garcia, George Porter, Francis Rosario, A. Tenedos, S. B. Bux, Junior, Roberto de Sousa, Cynthia Silver, L. Korner, Shirley Toul, Patricia Omand, Maria Arredo, Bonnie Mackintosh and Eugene Chu.
Juniors: Marianne Svendsen, Dennis Brown, Av. Elm, S. McIntyre, David Ashe, P. Wong.
Charles E. Clark: Thank you very much for the nice photograph of your self.
This week, kiddies, I want you to look at the numbered drawings and you will notice that the names have got mixed up. Can you sort them out? Write a list of the numbers on a postcard and against the numbers write or print the correct names. Fill in the name, age and address coupon and send your entries to Uncle Eddie, c/o "Hongkong Telegraph" offices in Wyndham Street. The competition closes at 3 p.m. on Wednesday. Three prizes will again be given—one for the best entry in each section.

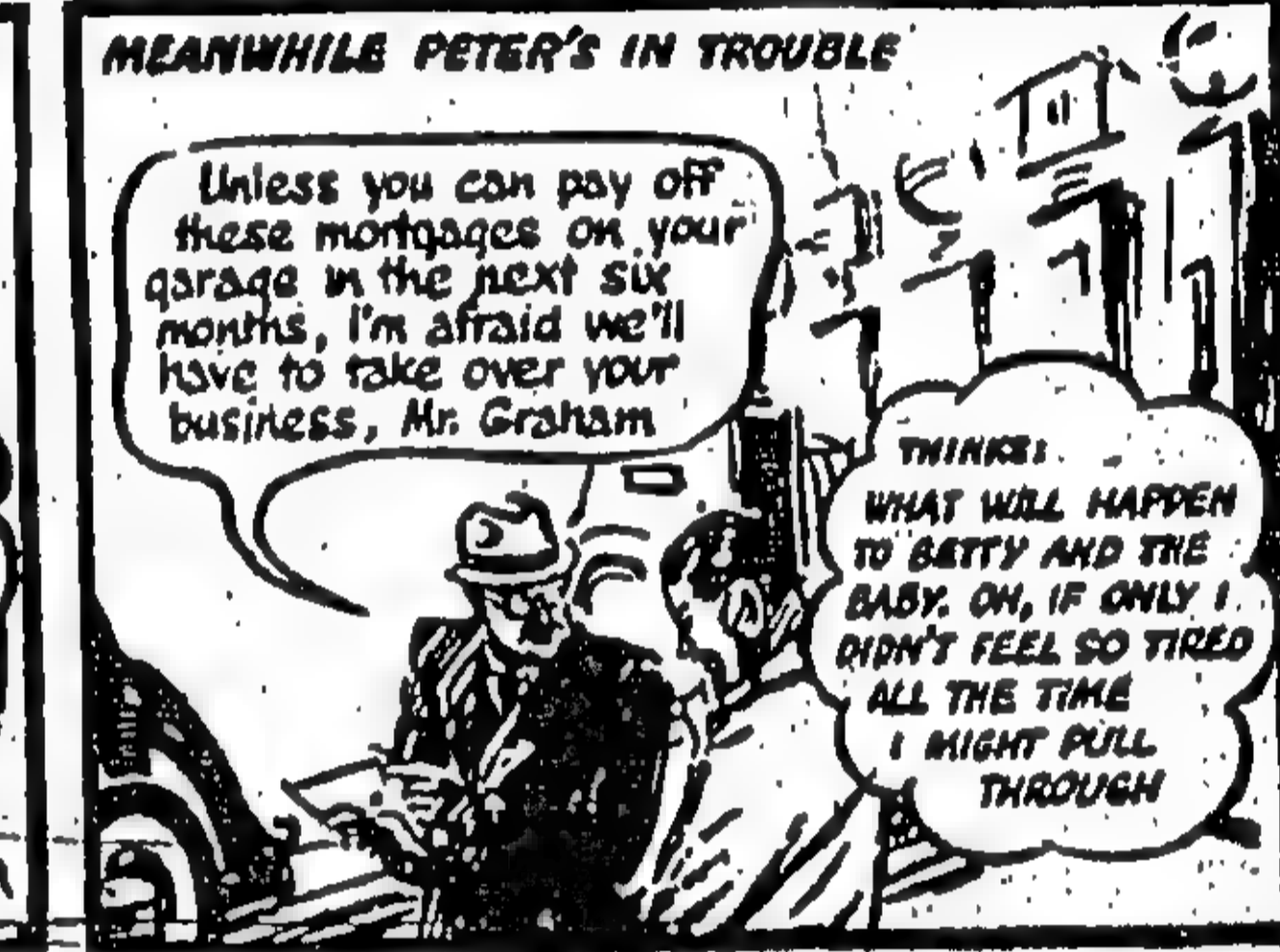
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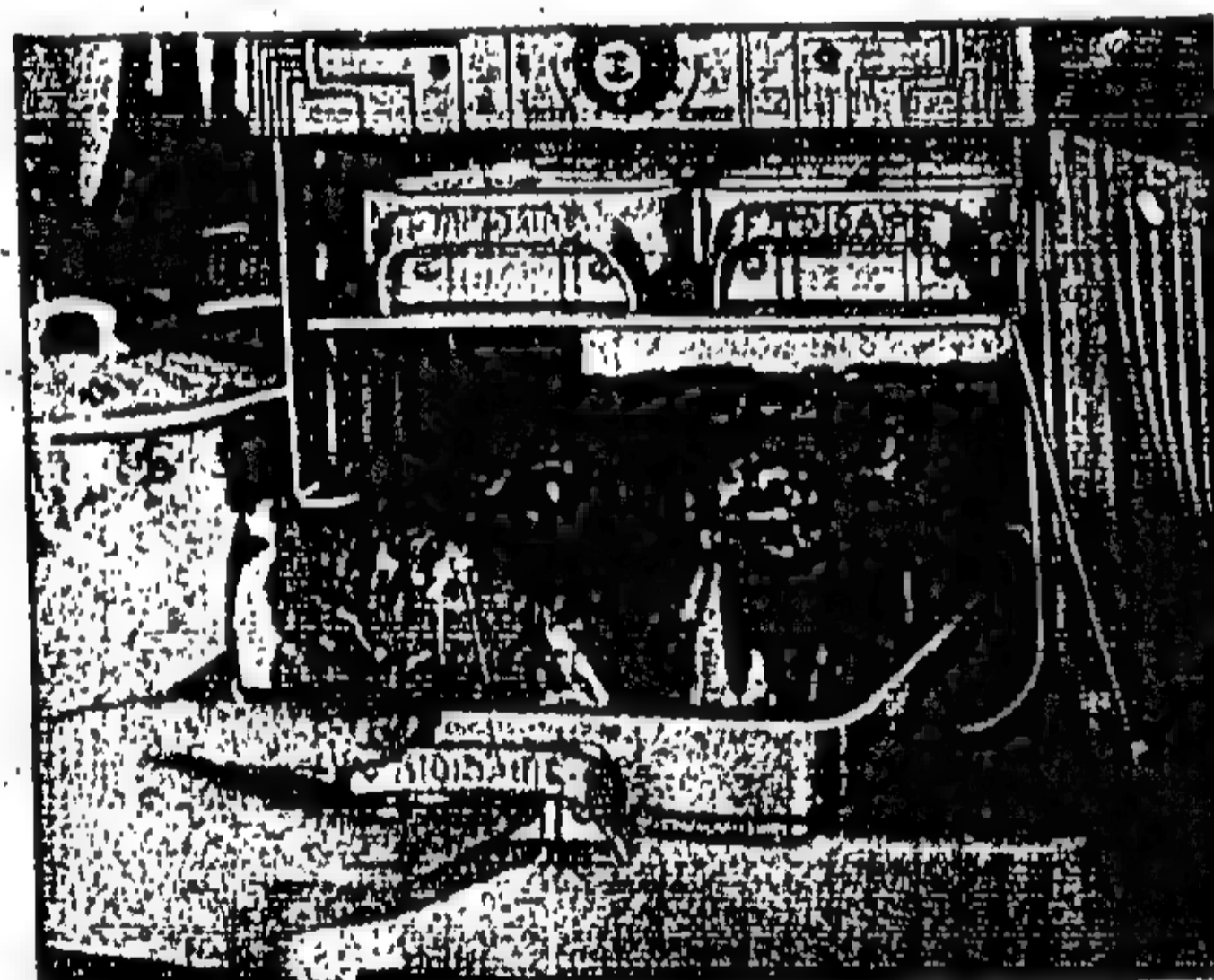
SANTA CLARA, Cal. Pin ball machines are illegal in themselves but nevertheless seem to have legal rights if abused. A player was fined \$50 for dropping slugs into the machine. He confessed to having made the slugs himself out of thin metal.



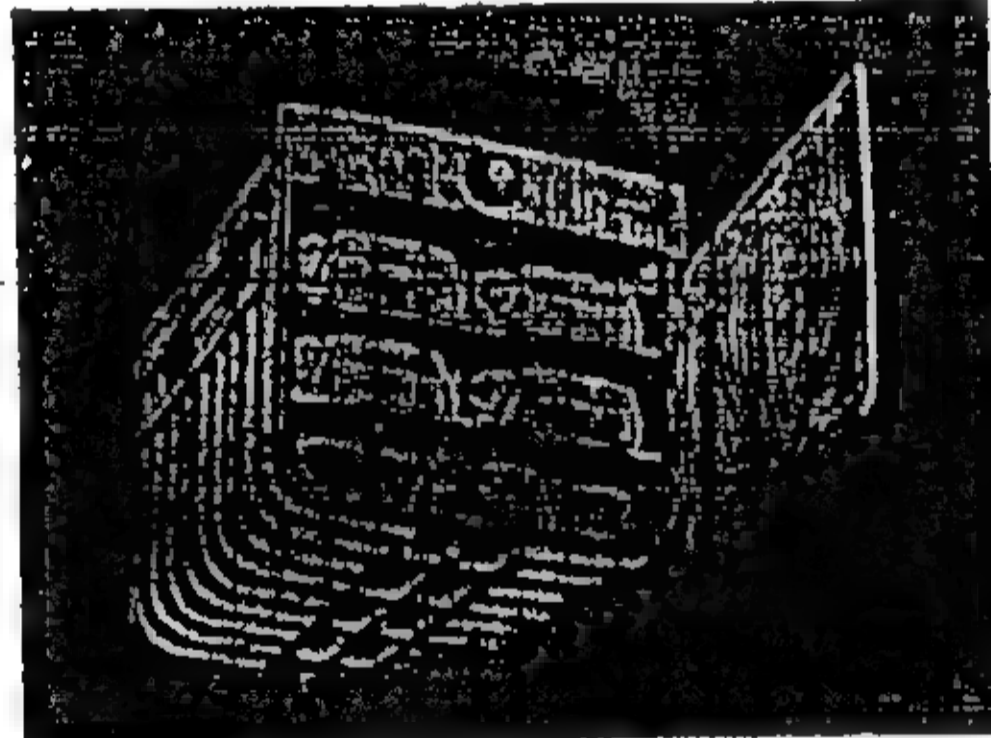
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Events And Personalities Of The Week



ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. New Communicants, who took their first Communion recently, photographed after the Communicant Breakfast. Bishop Hall officiated at the Communion.—*Ming Yuen.*



GROUP PHOTOGRAPH taken after the recent wedding at St. Teresa's Church of Mr. Joseph W. Leonard and Miss C. M. Perpetuo.—*Ming Yuen.*



LOCAL BOWLERS. Mr. J. W. M. Brown displays good form in his delivery of the wood in their League game held at the Club de Recreo. In the background can be seen Messrs. Vic Labrum, W. Mulcahy and G. Lee.—*Staff Photographer.*



P. O. SWAN, winner of the Governor's Cup and other trophies, at the Bisley Meeting which was organised by the Hongkong Rifle Association.—*Ming Yuen.*



ANNUAL INSPECTION. H.E. The Governor, H.E. Major General A. E. Grasett, Mrs. Grasett and Mrs. R. Langley photographed at the recent annual inspection of St. John Ambulance Brigade.—*A. Fong.*



RELIGIOUS PROCESSION. Hundreds of Catholics attended a procession recently at St. Teresa's Church in honour of "Our Lady of Fatima."—*Mee Cheung.*

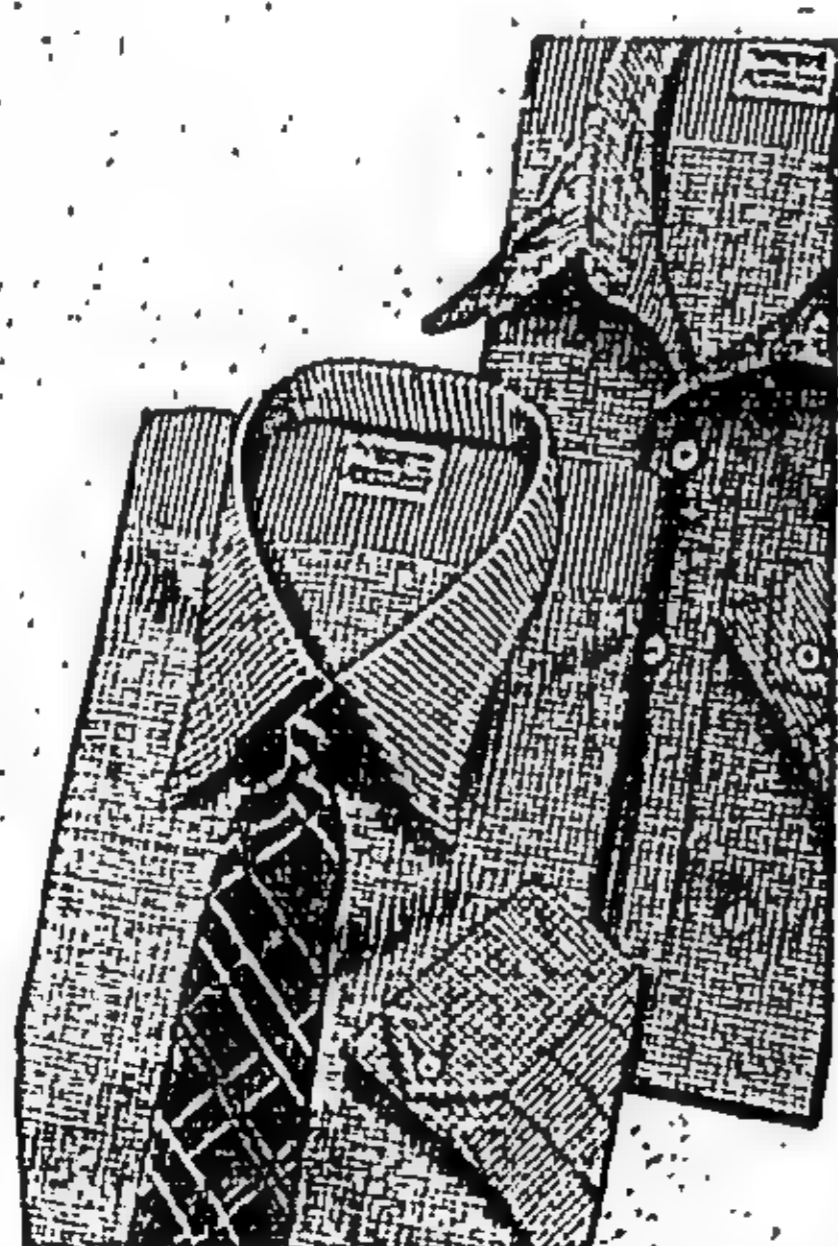


BRIGADE DISPLAY. H.E. The Governor showed great interest in this display of applying artificial respiration at the St. John Ambulance Brigade annual inspection.—*Ming Yuen.*



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Stole Factory Plans

London, May 19. At Manchester Joseph Kelly, a bricklayer and an employee of the new Royal Ordnance factory at Euxton, Lancs, was sent to ten years' penal servitude on charges of stealing two plans of the factory, which might be useful to the enemy. It was stated he intended to sell them to the German Secret Service.—*Reuter Bulletin.*

ESPIONAGE PLOT IN U.S.

Revolutions By Edgar Hoover

Washington, May 19. Testifying before the House Appropriations Committee to-day, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Chief of the Federal Investigation Bureau, said foreign espionage was increasing in the United States and asked Congress to increase funds to increase the G-men's drive against spies.

Mr. Hoover said that between 1932 and 1937 there was an average of 35 espionage cases annually. In 1938 the average had jumped to 634 cases and he estimated it would be 772 for 1939.

He said the War and Navy Departments had requested that the F.B.I. establish offices at Puerto Rico, Hawaii and Alaska in addition to stations in the Canal zone and the Philippines.

With the present personnel, he asserted, it is impossible to give proper attention to these cases, and even if an appropriation is granted he is doubtful whether he can succeed to all requests.—*United Press.*

COUNTER-ANTI-SEMITIC PLOT

Washington, May 19. Representative Dies has made a charge that Major General George Vanhorn Moseley, retired, Dudley Pierpont Gilbert, millionaire socialist, and a number of others are engaged in a campaign to counteract an alleged plot to overthrow the Government. He claimed that the campaign was anti-Semitic in nature.

Representative Dies said that Gilbert admitted in testimony at a recent session of the Committee for investigation of anti-American activities that he contributed \$9,000 for the campaign to neutralise the alleged plot, the details of which were very vague but which Gilbert claimed he obtained from a servant of an exclusive New York Club.

According to representative Dies, other figures in the campaign to counteract the alleged plot include George Deatherage, of St. Albans, West Virginia, chief of the Knights of White Camellias organization, accused by the Liberals of disseminating anti-Semitic propaganda and charged by Liberal publications to have a Fascist cast, and James Erwin Campbell, retired army captain, of Owen Sound, Ontario.

Representative Dies made public several documents introduced in evidence before the Committee, among which was a letter from Moseley to Campbell dated May 12 from Atlanta stating, "If the Jews bump me off be sure they get credit for it from coast to coast. It will help our cause."

Another letter from Moseley to Campbell on April 21 stated, "The fact is, a most serious problem confronts America to-day. The problem is the Jew and how to get rid of his influence generally."

A letter from Deatherage to Campbell dated December 14, 1938, stated, "Plan now . . . Prepared plans for the campaign . . . Of course the General must be careful in dealing with men of any outfit still on active service, for if he did the accusation would be made that he is building up a Fascist army . . . I believe, as you do, that it will take military action to get this gang out and an organization must be built up around the propaganda organisation that can in a few hours be turned into a military fighting force."

Representative Dies said that Gilbert believed so implicitly that the members of the New York club were plotting against the Government that he contributed \$1,000 to Campbell to build a "retreat" in Kentucky for the revolution. The propaganda campaign disseminated anti-Semitic literature of a nature "highly confidential." Reports of alleged attempts to overthrow the Government were distributed to a select list including retired army men and American Legion officials.—*United Press.*

King And Queen Leave For Ottawa

London, May 19. The King and Queen are now on their way to Ottawa, having left Montreal at midnight. The streets to the station were lined with cheering crowds, while twice at the official banquet their Majesties appeared at the balcony of the hotel in response to the shouting of the crowd below. "We want the King, We want the Queen."

When Their Majesties arrive at Ottawa, they will be heralded by a salute of 21 guns.

A heavy programme has been mapped out for the Royal visitors, who are competing the functions into "two days" instead of four.—*Reuter Bulletin.*

IMPASSIONED APPEAL FOR PEACE BY LLOYD GEORGE: DRAMATIC COMMONS DEBATE

LONDON, May 19.

MR. LLOYD George initiated the foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons to-day when he declared he wanted to find out exactly where they were.

M. Ivan Maisky, Soviet Ambassador, entered the House as Mr. Lloyd George began to speak and sat in the Ambassadors' gallery.

"We have reached a point where the decisions taken in the course of perhaps the next few hours and certainly the next few days, by Britain, France and Russia will be more fateful than any decision by those countries taken since 1914," said Mr. Lloyd George.

There was general tension and strain in every country of the world, more particularly in the countries that will be involved in the event of a failure to come to a peaceable adjustment of the difficulties, he continued.

Everyone was apprehensive, and he thought everyone was anticipating another blow from the dictator Powers. None knew where it would come, but there was a feeling of dread that it must come from some where. The situation reminded him very much of the feeling which prevailed in the early spring of 1918 "when we knew a great attack was coming from Germany, but none knew quite where the blow would fall. The French thought it would fall on their front, while we thought it would be on ours. All we knew was that a tremendous onslaught was coming somewhere, and that is more or less the position to-day."

We are all frightened, said the speaker, but perhaps that was hardly the word to use. We are all nervous and anxious, and the whole world is under the impression there is something being prepared in the nature of another attack from aggressors. We can see they are speeding up their armaments at a rate hitherto unprecedented, especially in weapons of offence—tanks, bombing aeroplanes and submarines.

Aggressors Preparing

We know they are occupying and fortifying frontier positions that will give them strategic advantages in a war with France and ourselves. The military chiefs of high rank of Italy and Germany are travelling long distances from Lyons to the North Sea on inspections and surveys of all sorts of situations that would be of vital importance.

Eight Legations in Prague will have their rights withdrawn on May 25, and that was ominous because it meant they will be deprived of all means of communicating through the usual diplomatic way. The secrecy now obtaining is similar to that established in 1914.

The general result is uneasiness and lack of confidence all over the world. It is seen in trade. It changes even politics. Britain is interested in its preparations for war but wanted to know most of all how to keep out of war, continued Mr. Lloyd George.

"Let us make peace inevitable, instead of war," he added. "There are two ways of doing this. One is preparing our military forces for an emergency and the other is to secure the co-operation of as many nations as possible in order to resist aggression."

Referring to Russia, Mr. Lloyd George declared, "All this business about Russia is because we do not know what we want. There is a great desire, if possible, to do without Russia. Russia offered to come in months ago and for months we have been staring this powerful gift horse in the mouth, but we are frightened of its teeth (cheers), yet we are not frightened of the teeth of these powerful beasts of prey who have been tearing down one independent country after another. We have pacts of friendship with them (laughter) and we have been shaking their paws (Opposition cheers). At this very hour we officially join in the celebrations of their carnivorous triumph." (Opposition cheers).

Russian Help Invaluable

Mr. Lloyd George said Britain had guaranteed Poland and Rumania, and asked the House to think of that as a military proposition without Russia. He asked why we did not make up our minds without loss of time for a whole-hearted alliance and come to the same terms with Russia as with France.

Mr. C. R. Attlee, leader of the Opposition, thought that Mr. Lloyd George had drawn an extremely gloomy, but nevertheless a true picture of the world situation. Mr. Attlee complained there was no constructive effort for peace and only nervous waiting for the next act of aggression.

"We must recognise the aggressive policy of the axis," he said. "In Europe there is an armed bandit ready to confront everybody demanding 'stand and deliver.'"

Premier Speaks

The Premier, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, followed Mr. Attlee and was greeted with loud cheers.

Mr. Chamberlain said he would have preferred not to speak on foreign affairs to-day because this was a time of tension, anxiety and suspicion, and he was very conscious that every word he uttered fell not only on the ears of the House but was transmitted round the world to be examined under the microscope. There may be some evilly disposed

persons only too ready to seize upon some phrase uttered, may be on the spur of the moment, and give it a significance never intended.

Mr. Attlee had spoken of the necessity of a long-term peace policy in which the colonial question would play a part, and referring to this Mr. Chamberlain said, "We in this country are not prepared to buy peace at the price of concessions which will only lead to further demands, but that does not mean we will refuse to discuss any method whereby we can satisfy the reasonable aspirations on the part of other nations even if it means some adjustment of the existing state of things."

Distrust of Germany

"There may be problems which will be easy of solution if one were only assured they will be discussed in an atmosphere of goodwill. There are many concessions which might, without too great a difficulty, be made if one is quite certain that these concessions are used only for the purpose for which they are given and not used to bolster up some strategic aim against the liberties of others. We cannot profitably discuss final peace terms until we are satisfied there has been renunciation, at any rate of the abandonment of designs of aggression against other people."

"The German Government had declared they had no such intention, but the trouble was the Opposition was not alone in not believing them; and this position was brought about by the German Government themselves. (Cheers). If we could have such renunciation, if we could have the conviction there was no intention of aggression or further use of force in the relations between Germany and other countries, I think we would find we would not be backward in stating what is our view and the line on which we should discuss terms of permanent peace."

The Prime Minister said the greatest of all British interests is the maintenance of peace. It is in an international spirit and believing British interests are best served by the solution which takes account of the needs, claims and rights of other nations as well as our own, that I desire to approach the subject of how we should lay down the lines of permanent peace."

Referring to the speech by Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Chamberlain said that without under-rating the gravity of the position, he thought Mr. Lloyd George had painted a gloomy picture. There was nothing unusual or sinister in the procedure regarding the release of Czechoslovak assets in favour of the Reich, the Prime Minister described the whole matter as a mare's nest. The Treasury had not agreed to the release of any Czech assets to the Bank for International Settlement and the only releases which had been made were for small amounts to refugees.

The Prime Minister, referring to the joining of Bohemia and Moravia to the Reich, said, "I know whether the German Government themselves realised the tremendous repercussion that the action would cause abroad. I think, perhaps, even more than the annexation that disturbed profoundly public minds everywhere was the patent contradiction between this and the assurances so frequently and solemnly given to the world by the German Government. That contradiction completely undermined the sense of security and created the widespread feeling that the independence of no small state was safe if it stood in the way of German ambition."

First Aid Measures

"It seemed to us that unless some new stabilising factor could be introduced, the dissolution of a large part of Europe might be imminent. In these circumstances, the Government thought it to be its duty, in conjunction with France, to intervene and try to supply this factor. It was necessary to act quickly because the apprehensions of an attack were acute."

"The assurances we gave Poland and Greece were not to end the measures we had in mind. They were what might be called first aid treatment given to avoid further deterioration of the situation. It still remains to strengthen them by more permanent measures. We have to try and get additional support for them in other quarters which are able and willing to give support."

Not Aggressive Policy

"I want to make it clear that this policy is not a policy of lining up opposing blocs of Powers in Europe animated by hostile intentions, and accepting the 'view' that war is inevitable. I never regard war as inevitable until it has begun. The sooner the picture of the more

Welsh Wizard Speaks



Mr. Chamberlain Hits Back

formidable the appearance that war may be coming, more strenuously should one strive to make it avoidable.

"The policy of opposing blocs seems to us essentially unstable, and therefore fundamentally dangerous.

"In the policy we are pursuing there is no element of aggression, nor does it exclude the possibility of discussion in a spirit of goodwill of all points of difference between the nations. It is a policy of precaution, and a policy which only operated in conditions—conditions which it is in the power of others to bring, or not to bring, into being."

Anti-Aggression Policy

"It is an assurance against forcible aggression which may not, and we hope never will, arise. It is a policy that seems necessary, because without it we can see no prospect of establishing a sense of stability in Europe. Without that policy it is, of course, inevitable that trade enter-
assurances. We are anxious to obtain support for them by the admission of other countries, and so we entered into conversations with Turkey and the Soviet."

Turkey's Friendship

"In the case of Turkey our discussions very speedily revealed such similarity of interests and outlook that the two Governments were able to make a declaration on May 13. That declaration was warmly welcomed, and the general satisfaction it evoked shows how high is the prestige of Turkey and how greatly her friendship is valued."

Paying a warm tribute to Turkey, Mr. Chamberlain said the friendship began under the long and memorable presidency of Kemal Ataturk and was further strengthened under the distinguished present President.

Not Only in Mediterranean

Pointing out that events move rapidly, Mr. Chamberlain said that agreements could not be concluded in the twinkling of an eye, and therefore he thought it advisable to make it clear to the world where Britain and Turkey stood in the event of an act of aggression leading to war in the Mediterranean area.

"We have declared," he said, "our intention in that event is to give one another mutual aid, and afford co-operation, but this declaration goes further than the Mediterranean."

"It recognises the necessity of securing the establishment of security in the Balkans. We have agreed on that matter in our consultations, the result of which I have no doubt we shall be able to embody in a long-term treaty."

Turning to the discussions with the Soviet, Mr. Chamberlain said he could not help thinking there was some misunderstanding because the idea has been put forward that the British Government was actuated in these negotiations by mistrust of Russian ideology. "I said before that this was not so, and I want to repeat it," he said. "If we can find a method whereby we can enlist the co-operation and assistance of the Soviet in building up a peace front we would welcome it. We want it, and we attach value thereto. The suggestion that we 'despise' the assistance that the Soviet can give is really without foundation."

A Big Difficulty

"Perhaps this House may remember the recent statement by M. Stalin

in which he said that it was the policy of the Soviet to support states which might be victims of aggression, provided that they were prepared to defend their independence.

"That was just our own viewpoint, and it appeared to indicate that the Soviet might be disposed to collaborate in carrying this into effect."

"But we are also aware, and this is the point which has not been appreciated up to the present, that direct participation of the Soviet might not be altogether in accordance with the wishes of some other countries on whose behalf these arrangements were being made."

Soviet Misunderstood

"We desire to have the collaboration of all countries, and we do not want any division among them, accordingly we suggested to the Soviet that they should make a declaration with regard to Poland and Rumania similar to that made by ourselves and France. The Soviet apparently thought that this offer was unreciprocal."

"I want to say now that the British Government has never desired to ask the Soviet to do anything which they are not prepared to do themselves (cheers). They have always wanted arrangements to be reciprocal."

"I find it difficult to understand why it should have been thought that the suggestion we made was lacking in reciprocity."

British Commitments

"It may be the view was taken that the suggestion did not cover the case of certain states other than Poland and Rumania, which are neighbours of Russia, through which the might be attacked; but I say on the other hand that it did not apply equally to certain states which, if attacked, must ultimately involve us in war."

"I think that I have made it plain that our suggestion did not contemplate that the Soviet should intervene irrespective of whether Britain and France did so, although as a matter of fact our own commitments follow on assurances we have given irrespective of whether the Soviet come in or not."

"Therefore, if there be any inequality between the two sides, the inequality is in favour of the Soviet rather than of this country."

"Clearly there is a misunderstanding, but whatever can be alleged against our proposal, I am sure that it cannot be alleged that it was unfair."

Nevertheless since our proposal was unacceptable to the Soviet, we have tried again. We are anxious that we should be able to come to an agreement.—*Reuter.*

Anglo-Russian Negotiations

Mr. Lloyd George interrupted by saying, "It is very vital that we should know what is standing in the way."

Mr. Chamberlain: "I am not going to answer." He concluded with a reference to Lord Halifax's scheduled conference with the French officials in Paris to-morrow. "After these consultations, and with their help, we may find it possible to overcome the obstacles which have hitherto prevented us from making an agreement with the Soviet," said the Premier. "I hope we shall be able in due course to report to the House that we have at last made a final agreement between the two countries."—*United Press.*

Caution Necessary

"Therefore, I say, in this matter, which is one of great difficulty and delicacy, a certain amount of caution is necessary."

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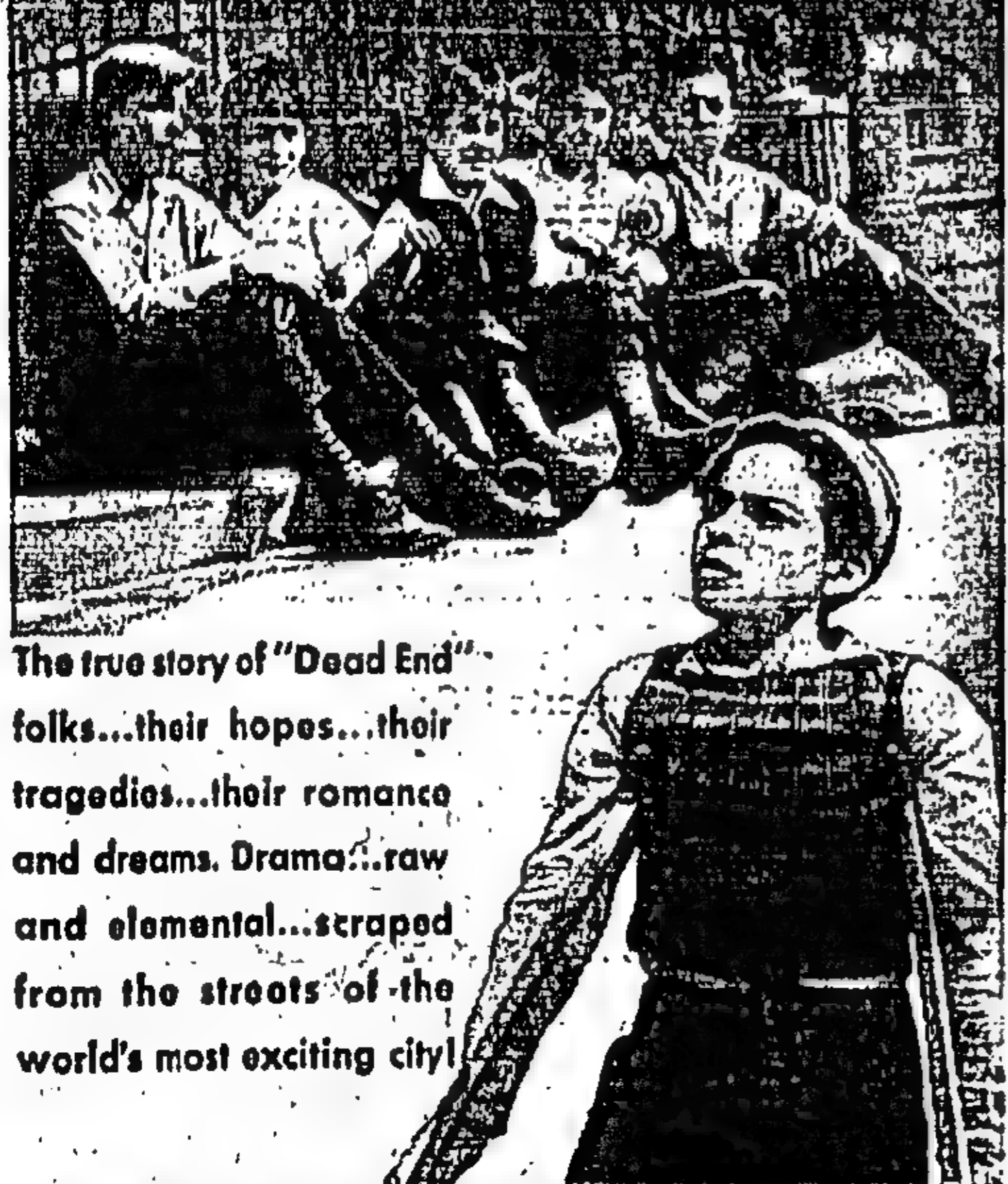
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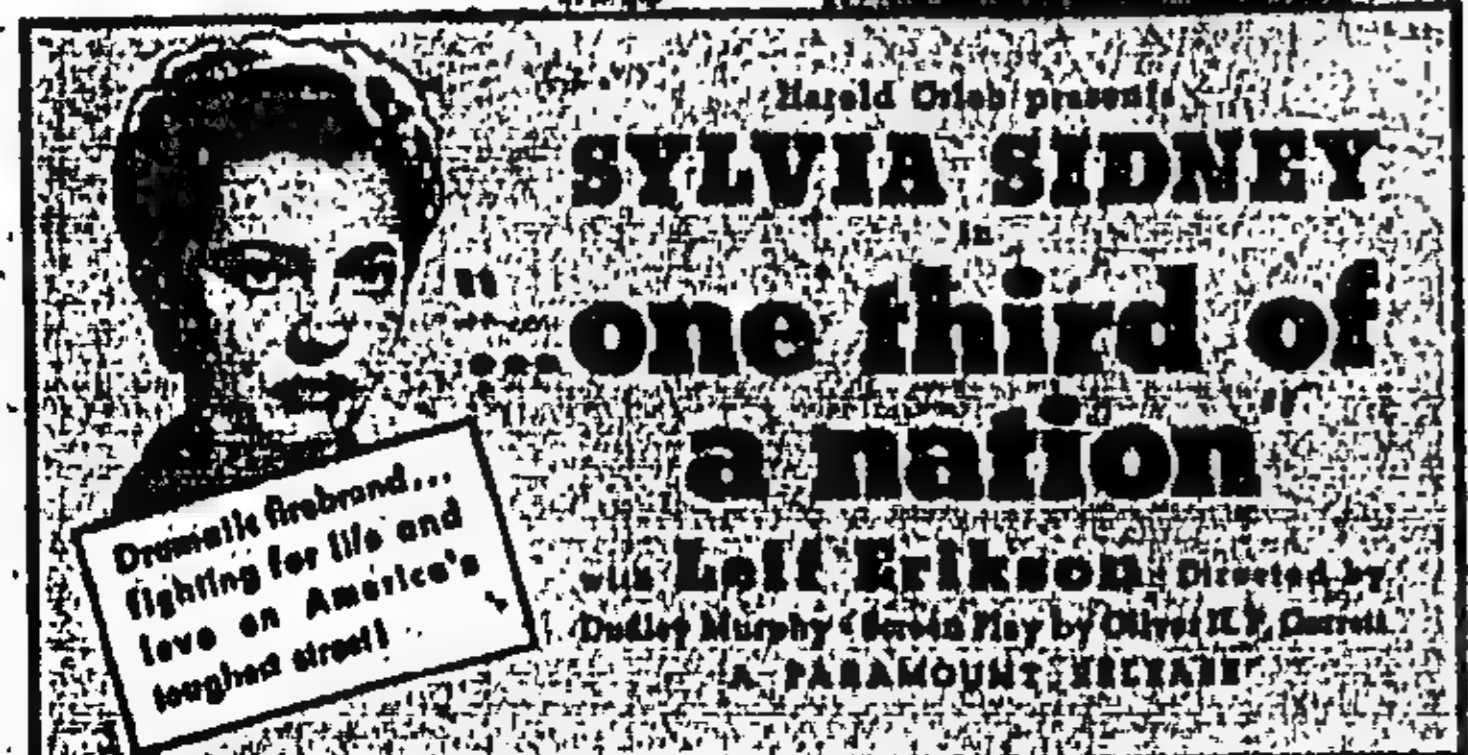
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Fish Facts

When the family clamours for fish dishes, we are apt to find ourselves up against several fishy problems.

These problems resolve themselves into four headings—buying, keeping, preparing, and cooking. All are equally important, but buying comes first. Most women know that fish should be firm of flesh and bright of eye, but if they want to provide good dishes with economy they must go further. However attractive slender human beings may be, when it comes to fish, the economical housewife will pass the slender variety by and spend her money on a nice thick, plump fish.

And here's another economy tip in buying fish. For made up dishes and fish salads, large whole slices are an unnecessary expense. Fish for this purpose from near the head or tail is excellent—and much cheaper.

Preparing fish for the pan is simple. Apart from wiping the fish clean, and squeezing a few drops of lemon juice on it, the preparing should be done by the fish-monger. He has requisite tools and skill for this messy job, and is always willing to do his part.

If however, it should fall to your lot to do a spot of scaling, use a blunt knife, and starting from the tail scrape at an angle of 45 degrees; this prevents the kitchen wallpaper becoming bespattered with fish scales.

Important Hints

One of the most important hints in preparing fish for cooking is don't leave fish to soak. It "kills" the flavour.

Having bought and prepared the fish, cook it quickly. Eight minutes per inch thickness of fish with a temperature of 450 to 500 degrees Fahrenheit is ideal.

When you plunge fish into the boiling water, the juices are sealed. If placed over a low heat they just ooze gently away into the unwanted water. Fish of ordinary thickness requires about 10 minutes per pound, but if very thick, 15 minutes will be necessary.

Experts tell us that for boiling fish we should "paper cook" them. By this they mean wrapping up the fish in parchment paper popping this into a bag and plunging the whole lot into boiling water.

A metal ring on the bottom of the pan should be placed for the fish to avoid touching the bottom. Another useful tip in this paper boiling is to cut the fish into helpings, press it together again before wrapping. The fish will adhere together sufficiently during cooking, but allow

Instead Of Breakfast

If you are feeling off colour, have no appetite, and cannot face a breakfast, just try instead a raw egg in orange juice.

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for easy serving. Cooking fish in this paper fashion keeps any escaping juices inside the paper when they can be used for sauces or pouring over the fish.

In keeping fish—even for a couple of hours—it should be wrapped in waxed paper to exclude the air and avoid dry-off of cut surface. The colder fish is kept the better it will cook and taste.

Hilda Maxwell

BEGIN your campaign for presentable feet now if you are looking ahead to the swimming season. Even if you do not go near the beach, feet with smooth skin, free from blemishes and with neatly groomed toenails are an asset. If you have shopped for a new dress or sports shoes recently you've noticed that it is nearly impossible to find anything that isn't footless and heel-less. You will probably have to wear them whether you like it or not. Barring mishaps, it's just as easy to keep your feet healthy and good looking as it is to let them get ugly and troublesome. If you have neglected your feet or have worn shoes that have pinched and rubbed, you may find that your feet are far from attractive or comfortable. Extra work will be needed to put them into condition again.

Corns and callouses are the commonest blemishes, but there is no reason for you to tolerate them. Get busy now and clear them up. You may have to throw away the offending shoes and buy better fitted and more sensible ones for your activities to prevent the reappearance of the unsightly spots, but you will find this an investment in comfort as well as foot beauty.

BEGIN WITH WASHING
Every foot treatment, like a facial treatment, begins with a thorough washing. This may be taken while you have your tub bath if you wish; but be sure to work up a stiff suds on a foot brush and scrub your feet thoroughly, giving special attention to the toes and calloused areas on the heels and soles of the feet. When you get out of the tub, dry your feet thoroughly, giving extra attention to skin between the toes.

While the feet are still warm and soft from the soaking and sudsing put corn or callous pads on the sensitive spots. Use a medicated disc if the corn is stubborn or sore, a soft moleskin pad for relieving pressure if there is merely an irritated spot or blister. Corn pads have been improved greatly in recent years; they are now flesh-tinted, light in weight and cling so closely to your foot as to be almost invisible.

FOOT BALM IS SOOTHING
Even with the best and faithful care, the feet may feel hot, tired and aching after walking for hours. Give them a warm footbath, scrubbing them gently with soapsuds. Rub and dry, but while the skin is still warm and soft, massage thoroughly with a good foot balm that contains soothing, medicated ingredients.

Occasionally, you might make this a part of your pedicure: Massage your thoroughly cleansed feet and legs with a good softening cream, working firmly around the toes and massaging your feet with firm upward strokes up and over the ankles. Knead the calves of the legs and massage upward with long, firm strokes. When the skin is pink and tingling, wipe off the excess cream and polish your feet with very cold water, or finish with an eau de Cologne rub. These measures are good not only for smoothing and firming the skin, but for preventing excessive perspiration.

SHORT CUTS

The tops of medicine bottles should be dipped in melted paraffin and sealed against spilling before medicines are packed in a bag or trunk.

Parasol will keep fresh for some time in a jar with the top screwed on lightly.

Bend up the end of a wire hanger to keep a sleeveless garment from slipping off.

Sea Moss May Have Use

Boothbay, Me. Arthur R. Greenleaf, Sea and Fisheries commissioner here, sees a possible new industry in the potentialities of sea moss and eel grass as filling and padding in furniture construction.

THEFT VICTIM APOLOGIZES

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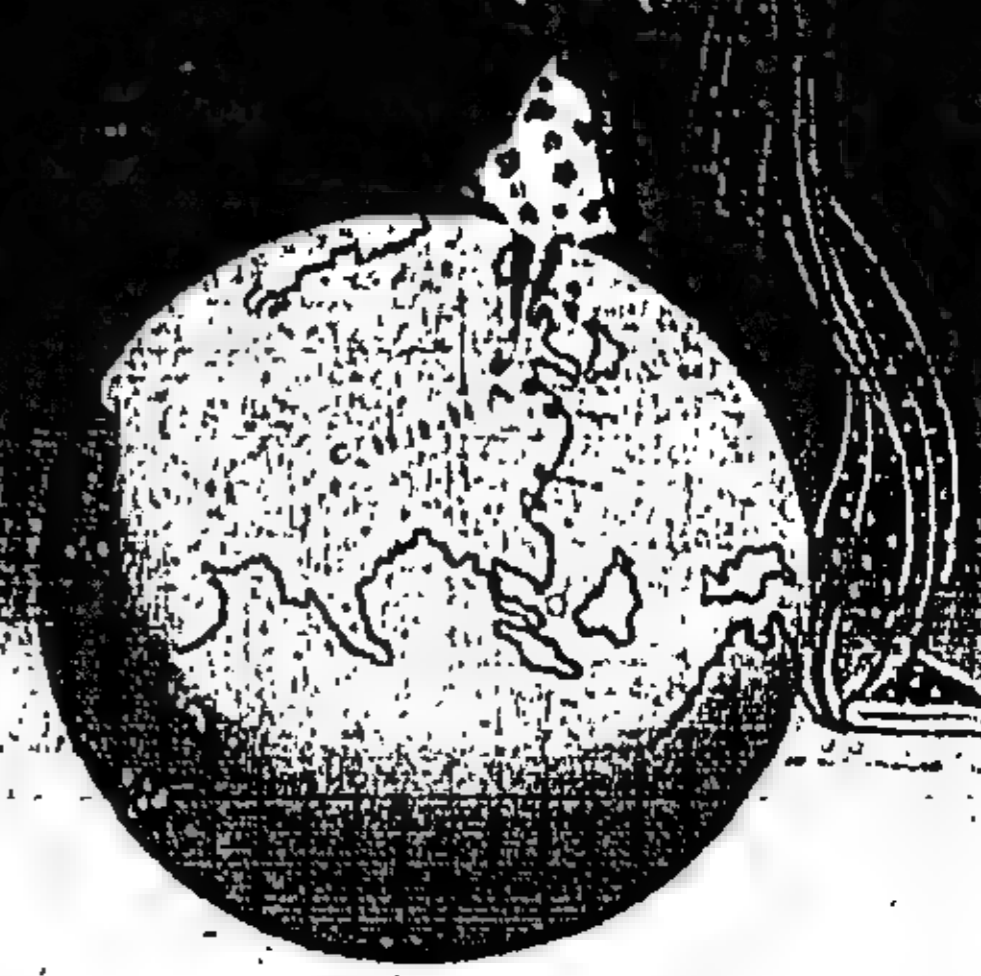
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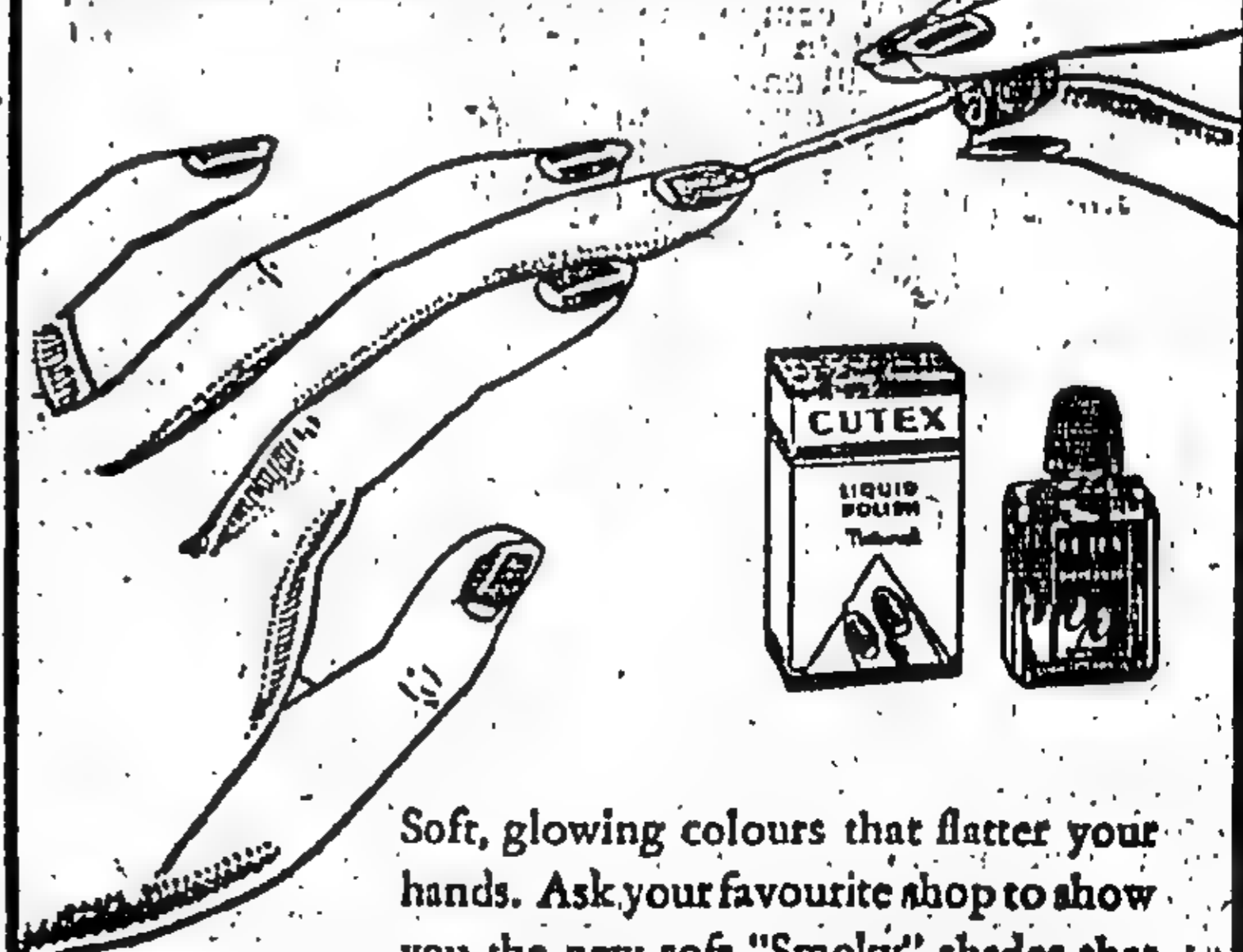
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The London County Council green belt exhibition was being opened at Charing Cross Underground station. Forgetting the rumble of the trains beneath them, the hooting and screeching of traffic outside, people caused congestion at the barriers as they paused to look at green fields, lakes, foliage and forests—all in pictures.

FOUR YEARS' WORK

It is just four years since the Labour L.C.C. launched the green belt scheme. The exhibition shows the great progress which has been made.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, leader of the Council, paid tribute to the way the councils of the Home Counties had co-operated in the scheme.

100 SQUARE MILES

He revealed that the green belt round London now covers 100 square miles of open country—almost equal to the space covered by the administrative county of London itself.

"It is perhaps," he said, "one of the most rapid achievements in the history of local government."

The exhibition was opened by Lord Crawford. Mrs. Hugh Dalton, chairman of the L.C.C. Parks Committee, presided and Mr. Frank Pick, of the L.P.T.B., was among the speakers.

Bone Setting Study Opens

BERKELEY, Cal.

California's accident toll is showing such an increase that the medical school of the University of California has opened a new short course on the setting of fractures, open to medical students, physicians, surgeons and all others interested.

PICTURES, PICTURES EVERYWHERE

Tulsa, Okla.

Kurt Severine, widely travelled free lance photographer, says there are picture-stores in every city, town

or village, if only one looks for them. "My hardest job," he explains, "is not in finding stores, but in deciding which are worthy enough to earn a place in my picture-taking schedule."

INJURED BY ACCURACY

Pasadena, Cal.

When some poet "shot an arrow into the air," poetical things followed, but when George Sargent, tired of breaking bottles by throwing

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VIGNETTES OF LIFE

By J. NORMAN LYND



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CHINESE TEAM MAY HOLD UNION BREWERY TO-DAY

CHANGED LINE-UP LIKELY TO WORK WONDERS

U.S.S. Mindanao Should Beat South China A.A.

(By "Bingle")

The usual three games are on this week-end's interesting card, weather permitting. It will be recalled that no league game was postponed last season on account of rain. Lady Luck probably won't be with us two years in a row. Still, here's hoping!

To-day's tussle between the Chinese Baseball Club and Union Brewery, scheduled for 2.30 p.m. at Caroline Hill, should bring the fans out in droves. With one loss already against them, the Chinese will be in there fighting this afternoon to hold Chel Bennett's Brewers. Chung Hwa should hold them, as I still think they have the best ball team around these parts.

Earl Wong's pitching, except for last Saturday's sore arm, is tops in Hongkong, while diminutive Nip "The cushion robber" Lum is their line-up, the disgruntled Chinese should emerge victorious.

DOUBLE BILL

To-morrow's double bill commences at 10 a.m., sharp, when the Hongkong Baseball Club clashes with Club de Recreio. The Moltenmen have been spurred on by their splendid showing of last Saturday, when they went down to an 8 to 6 defeat in the hands of the Chinese, and will give the Humbling Reds a battle royal.

After last Sunday's debacle in two unfortunate innings—in which Johnny Alvares allowed six hits, and a lone run, to the Moltenmen, the same battery of Larry "High-pockets" Lawrence and Colonel Dave Walker will be the attacking force of the Hongkongites, and Ernie Hearther will be also included in the line-up. If his physician permits, Ernie has been laid up for a week with influenza.

SECOND GAME

At 11.30 a.m., U. S. S. Mindanao tangles with South China in the nightcap. South China, still of uncertain calibre, will be up against much stiffer opposition in the sailors than last Sunday's game with Recreio.

The sailors have been practising diligently during the week and, on Thursday, they were nosed out 6 to 5 by an aggregation from the Gold-star. High scorers for the victors were second baseman Elardo and third sacker Carroll, who both scored the plate twice. Mindanao made the most bobbles to lose this tilt.

If "Crooner" Ruel's arm is in shape, he will start on the mound for the sailors with "Paintpot" Thomas as his backstop. C. Lee and Leung will again be the battery for South China, who will also welcome the inclusion of heavy hitter Dick Shim, outfielder de luxe.

With more experience behind them, the boys should take this game. They have a heavier hitting side, while catcher Thomas, II (Herve), Dilbarah (no jockey), backstop who can peg 'em to second

TO-DAY'S GAME POSTPONED

To-day's baseball match between U.B. and the Chinese B.C. has been postponed owing to the inclement weather.

while on his haunches! In Thursday's tussle, Thomas caught a difficult fly from a bunted ball along the third base line. The runner on second ran before the ball was caught, thinking that Thomas didn't have a chance of getting it. Said runner was out at second before he could put the brakes on to return. Such is the speed of "Paintpot" Thomas!

FINAL OF SOFTBALL LEAGUE

(By "Bingle")

The final of the Inter-Hong Softball League will be played to-morrow at 4.30 p.m., at the Kowloon Football Club between Standard Oil and the Dutch Bank.

Before the game, two exhibition tilts will be staged between members of Section A and Section B. Admission into the stands will be twenty cents straight, and Mrs. L. R. Tidonzo, the wife of the President of the Hongkong Softball League, will present the trophies after the final.

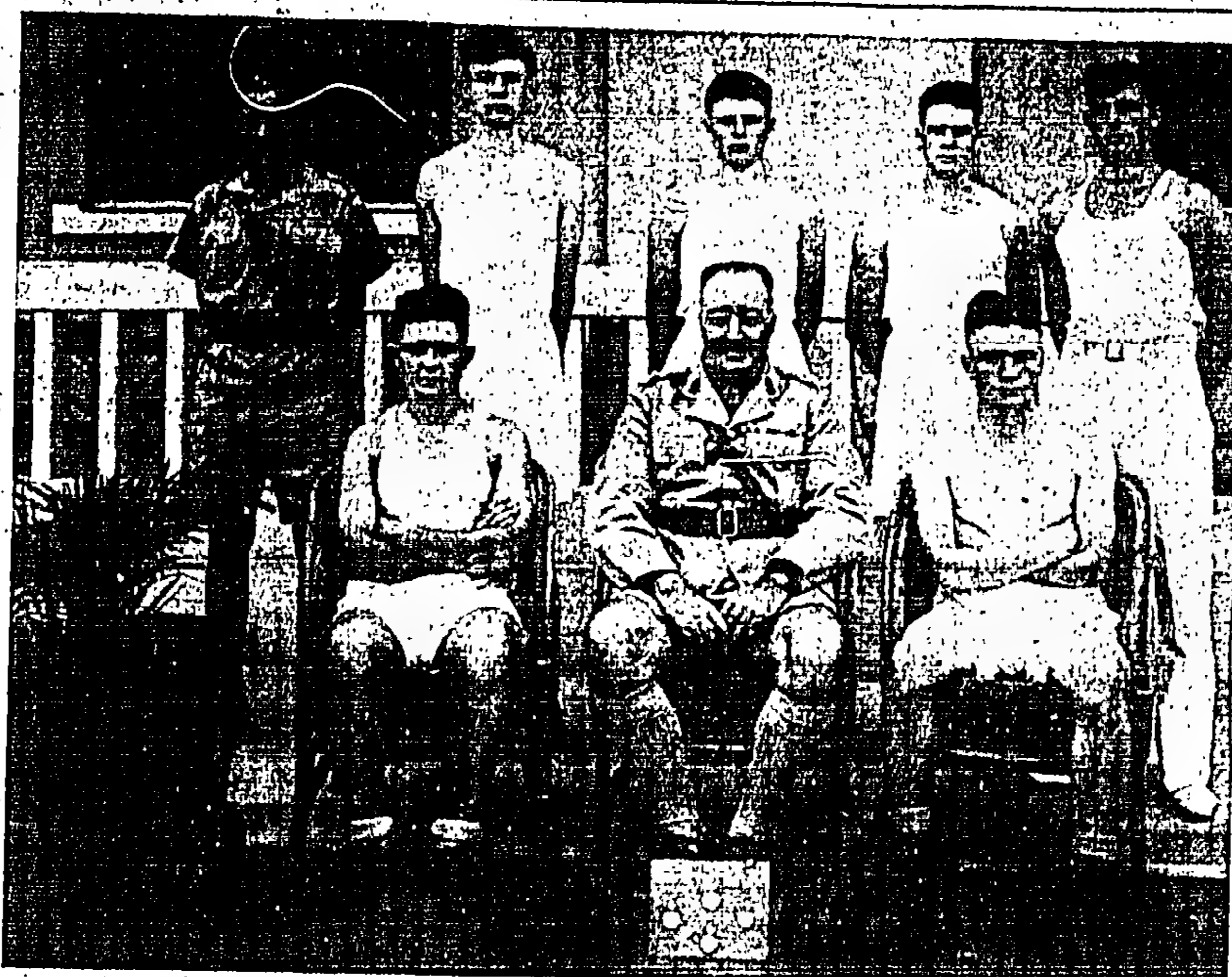
The teams will be fighting for the China Sports Plaque, presented by the China Sports, and ten medals, presented by Lane Crawford's.

DERBY RUNNERS

London, May 19. Roderick Dhu has been omitted from the list of probable starters for the Derby to be run on May 24.

The following are amended probabilities and jockeys: Fairstone (Cliff Richards), Wheatland (Taylor), Ortiz (Allemand), Bellman (Sam Wragg), Larchfield (Sprague), Points (D. Smith), Snowden (Maher), Salford (Herve), Dilbarah (no jockey), Atout Maitre (no jockey).—Reuter.

First Division Bowls Matches Appear Open



Trumpeters of the 8th (H) Regiment, Royal Artillery, Stanley, winners of three out of the four Area Boys' Bowling Championships of 1939. Reading from left to right (back row) are R. S. M. Reid, Tptr. Brennan, Tptr. Williamson, Tptr. Richardson, Bdr. Wood. Front Row.—Tptr. Ellemble, Lt. Col. B. D. Court Treat, M.C., R.A., and Tptr. Griffith.—Photo by A. Hing.

REMARKABLE OCCURRENCES IN COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP TIES

Yorkshire Beaten: Freakish Declarations By Captains

London, May 19.

Several remarkable occurrences marked the County Cricket Championship programme which concluded to-day. First, Yorkshire were beaten by Gloucester by six wickets; second, a peculiar match between Glamorgan and Essex in which both captains declared their first innings at nine runs each; third, Middlesex defeated Northants by 118 runs in a game played under the rules of one-day matches.

Harold Gimblett, the young Somersetshire batsman, just missed the honour of scoring a century in each innings against Sussex. He was only seven short of three figures when dismissed in the first knock, but in the second he scored 103 not out.

In spite of a century by Maurice Leyland, Yorkshire totalled only 253 in their first innings against Gloucester. The champions sportingly declared their second innings at 162 for seven wickets, but Gloucestershire proved equal to the task.

Fine bowling by Scott (C.J.) was responsible for Yorkshire's low scores. He took five wickets for 91 in the first innings and six for 87 in the second.

The match between Cambridge University and the West Indies was left drawn. The feature of the game was a century by George Headley, the "Black Bradman."

SOMERSET v. SUSSEX

At Taunton Somerset took points on first innings from Sussex, the feature of the game being Harold Gimblett's batting for the home county.

In the first innings, Somerset scored 209 (Gimblett 93) and in the second 183 for four wickets declared (Gimblett 103 not out), while Sussex replied with 211 (Andrews 6 for 75) and 71 for three.

YORKSHIRE v. GLOUCESTER

At Bradford, Yorkshire were beaten by Gloucestershire by six wickets.

Yorkshire totalled 253 (Leyland 112, Scott 5 for 91 and Goddard 6 for 76) and 162 for seven wickets declared (Scott 6 for 87). Gloucestershire hit up 227 in the first innings (Hammond 75) and 100 for four (Barnett 50).

ESSEX v. GLAMORGAN

At Ilford, Glamorgan defeated Essex by five wickets in a match remarkable for the action of the two captains.

Each declared their first innings with nine runs on the board for the loss of one wicket, and Glamorgan retaliated by declaring at 9 for no wicket.

In the second innings Essex scored 100 (Thomas 5 for 84) and Glamorgan then hit up 118 for five wickets.

MIDDLESEX v. NORTHAMPTON

At Lord's, Middlesex defeated Northampton by 118 runs.

Middlesex declared their first innings at 232 for five wickets (Compton 84) and Northants were dismissed

for 114, Sims taking seven wickets for 43 runs.

The match was played under the rules of one-day matches because there was no play in the first two days.

WORCESTER v. KENT

Worcester defeated Kent by 83 runs.

Worcester scored 146 (Lewis 6 for 40) and 150 (Lewis 5 for 67), while Kent were dismissed for 72 (Martin 5 for 84) and 149.

CAMBRIDGE v. WEST INDIES

The match between Cambridge University and West Indies was drawn.

The tourists hit up 296 in their first innings, to which George Headley contributed 103, and Cambridge made 163 and 192 for nine in the follow-on.

OXFORD v. LANCASHIRE

The match between Oxford University and Lancashire was drawn.

Oxford scored 117 (Pollard 5 for 39) and 227 for seven, while Lancashire, in their only visit to the wicket, made 200.—Reuter.

INVITATION TO FILIPINOS

Manila, May 19. Following the receipt of an invitation from Los Angeles, the Philippines Lawn Tennis Association is considering authorizing the Philippine Davis Cup players Feliciano Ampon and Amado Sanchez, who are now on board the President Pierce, to participate in the Pacific Southwest Tournament, at Los Angeles, between September 22 and October 1.—United Press.

Six U. S. Golfers Sail For England

New York, April 21. "Trailer Bill" Holt of Syracuse, N. Y., sail in the Queen Mary, to-day for England, where Yates will defend his British Amateur Golf Championship May 22-27 at Hoylake.

Yates and Holt form the vanguard of a six-men American invasion. Willie Turnesa, holder of the U. S. amateur crown, had been expected to play at Hoylake, but Willie definitely decided yesterday not to compete, and instead submitted his entry for the U. S. open at Philadelphia.

CHINA LOSES IN DAVIS CUP

Kho And Choy Drop Doubles

Paris, May 19.

Having won both singles yesterday, France eliminated China from the European Zone of the Davis Cup competition to-day by taking the doubles, thus getting through by three matches to nil.

In the doubles, von Petra and Peallizra easily and the better of Kho Sin-ke and W.C. Choy, winning in three straight sets by scores of 6-2, 6-0, 6-3.

The weather was again dull. The Chinese were quite outplayed by two dynamic hitters, whose doubles technique was faultless.

The losers won the first set, and fifth games of the first set, and first, sixth and seventh in the third.

It was only towards the finish that the Frenchmen appeared to be in trouble. On the whole they played well within themselves and appeared to concede points only when tempted to be experimental.—Reuter.

United Press adds that the match lasted only 50 minutes. The Frenchmen dominated the net from where they won the Chinese off the court with remarkable placements.

France will now meet England in the third round of the European Zone at Wimbledon and the winner will meet Germany.

Badminton

Presentation Of Prizes On May 27

The 1938-39 badminton season will be brought officially to a close on May 27, when on "At Home" and prize distribution will be held in the grounds of St. Andrew's Vicarage.

The function will start at 4.15 p.m. and after tea, the season's prizes will be presented.

Individual prize winners are: Senior Men's singles championship, P. K. Hul; runner-up, C. Au.

Junior singles, D. Kwok; runner-up, S. H. Boone.

Men's doubles, P. K. Hul and K. L. Yung; runners-up, P. S. Lim and C. H. Bun.

Mixed doubles, P. K. Hul and Miss U. Khoo; runners-up, M. A. Oliveira and M. Silva.

The League trophies have been won as follows: "A" Division, Hongkong University; runners-up, Club de Recreio.

"B" Division, Chung Wah; runners-up, St. Andrew's.

Mixed Doubles, Hongkong University; runners-up, Club de Recreio.

Winners and runners-up in the championships are requested to attend to receive their prizes, and teams which either won a League or finished runners-up are asked to send at least one representative.

All badminton players are cordially invited to attend, but it is requested that clubs should inform the Hon. Secretary as near as possible the number expected to attend, so that proper seating arrangements can be made.

CLUB DE RECREIO "A" OUGHT TO BEAT I. R. C. IN KING'S PARK TIE

(By "Abbe")

While no upsets were registered in the Hongkong Lawn Bowls League last week, it must be many years since we have had such high scoring in one match as that between the Craigengower C.C. and the Civil Service C.C. in the First Division. A total of 153 shots (C.C.C. 94, C.S.C.C. 59) must be very near, if not quite, the record.

I have already commented on last week's matches in the First Division and have nothing more to add to my remarks. I am more interested in the prospects of to-day's matches, if the rain holds off.

Unlike last Saturday's programme, which was easy to forecast, to-day's games are not so certain. As a matter of fact, all the matches in the First Division are very open. Two undefeated teams, the Club de Recreio "A" and the Indian R.C. clash in King's Park, and impressive though the Indians have been during their last two matches, one must be a very fervent admirer indeed to feel that they will have much hope of winning, especially as they are playing away.

But one has to remember, however, that in their opening match of the season they visited the Kowloon B.G.C. and won handsomely by 17 B.G.C. and won handsomely by 17 shots, and if they can beat a team like the K.B.G.C. away, who can say with any degree of certainty that they will lose to-day?

Both teams are relying on the same rinks which turned out during the last two Saturday. This is a wise move as it would be foolish to change a winning team.

ADVANTAGE NULLIFIED

On the same green, the Club de Recreio "B" will entertain the Police R.C., who were defeated by the Indians by 14 shots last week.

Neither side has yet won a point, and though I think the Police rinks are slightly stronger than those of their hosts to-day, the handicap of having to play on a strange green nullifies this advantage.

Last week I commented on the many positional changes made by the Police side, and was promptly discovered that the list sent in was wrong inasmuch as it had Wally Mair, G. Perkins and J. Shepherd in the wrong positions, putting them at No. 1 instead of No. 3. Whoever is responsible for sending the Police rinks to the Press has done the same thing again this week, in has placed Mair, Perkins and Shepherd again at No. 1.

It is rather hard on the scribes, who cannot be held to blame if club members put their own players in the wrong positions when announcing the teams in the newspapers.

A very even match should be seen at Happy Valley this afternoon when the Civil Service C.C. entertain the Kowloon C.C. On paper, the visitors should win as their performance so far have been quite impressive and their players seem to have settled down right away. But the Civil Service men have not yet had a chance to show what they can do on their own green, and they may seize this opportunity of doing so. They are retaining the same team that lost to the Craigengower C.C.

RINKS WELL-MATCHED

The way in which the Kowloon B.G.C. trounced the Club de Recreio last Saturday bodes ill for Kowloon Docks who, fortified by the

fact that they are playing on their own green, may do much better than most people expect. The rinks seem evenly-matched, and I am certain that whichever side wins there will not be much in it.

Irish Sweeps

A Huge Sum Collected In Short Period

Dublin, May 19. Sir Joseph Glynn, Vice-chairman of the Hospitals' Committee, opening the Sweepstake proceedings at the Mansion House this morning, called attention to the extraordinary short period in which the organizers had to collect money. It was in fact only 39 days, the shortest period they had ever been allowed. The

Small Slices Of Luck For East

Dublin, May 19. A small slice of luck in the Irish Sweepstakes on the Derby has come to Hongkong.

Ticket No. MP08343, held by Chan Chak of 291 Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, has drawn Boast, a non-runner. The ticket is therefore worth £397 14s. 6d.

Ticket No. PQ84645, held by G. F. Stringfellow, of the Hongkong Bank, Malacca, drew Conqueror III, another non-runner.—International Press Bureau.

Interval between the Grand National and the Derby was always the smallest but it had never been as small as this year. Moreover, the organizers had to contend with the disturbed international situation and continued tension which was a bad atmosphere in which to organize anything.

Whatever fears they had had been misplaced, for the organizers had achieved the remarkable result of garnering in £1,000,017.

There was one mark of confidence in the very first ticket received, which was from an Englishman in China.

Mr. O'Sheehan announced that the Prize Fund was £950,100. Fifty residual prizes will be worth £1,122 each and non-running horses £397 14s. 6d.

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"I look after myself, old son. Last night I took a sizeable swig of Rose's Lime Juice before hitting the hay. That's how to kill off the aftermath of alcohol."

"You wouldn't lead me up the garden, Timothy?"

"Peter, you wrong me. I've seen the light and I'm passing on the tip."

"Then, if you will kindly step ashore, we will seek out a vendor of Rose's. It's time--I fell into good habits."

PADGHAM RUNS AWAY WITH £200 PRIZE

"You're Too Good For Me" — Burton

By Verdant

Moor Park, Apr. 22. After being outplayed from the very start, R. Burton (Sale), nine strokes down with three holes to play, retired from the 36-holes replay with A. H. Padgham for the £200 first prize in the "Silver King" £1,000 tournament at Moor Park to-day.

It was a dramatic end to what had become almost a walk-over. It can be recalled that 28 years ago Arnaud Massey, the famous French professional, and the immortal Harry Vardon played for an open championship, and Massey, in a hopeless plight, turned to Harry and said, "You're too good for me," and retired. With almost the same words Burton today threw in the sponge.

Silencing at the opening hole Burton was a stroke behind. From that time he was struggling.

At the fourth hole he was out of bounds and bunkered, and dropped three shots at that hole alone.

So it went on. Burton occasionally picked up a shot and as often frittered one away, either by shelling or pulling, or else by missing a holeable putt.

He took 44 for the first nine holes against Padgham's 38.

LONG WAY BEHIND

After 12 holes Burton was eight shots behind, and then he showed

Army Tennis League

In the "A" Division of the Hong-kong Area Tennis League on Thursday, 40th Coy. "B" Royal Engineers beat 8th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, five matches to four.

Scores: S/Sgt. E. Skinner and L/Bdr. E. Osborne (R.A.) lost to S. M. Vicary and Q. M. S. Wedlock 1-6, beat S/Sgt. Meltram and Sgt. Davis 7-5, beat Sgt. Samways and S/Sgt. Wilson 6-3.

Bdr. S. Bennett and L/Bdr. W. James (R.A.) lost to Vicary and Wedlock 3-6, lost to Meltram and Davis 1-6, lost to Samways and Wilson 1-6.

Lt. Hook and Bdr. Stone (R.A.) lost to Vicary and Wedlock 4-6, beat Meltram and Davis 6-4, beat Samways and Wilson 6-3.

In the "B" Division of the Hong-kong Area Tennis League on Thursday, 30th Battery, Royal Artillery, beat 7th Battery, Royal Artillery, 6-3.

Scores: Sgt. Burdett and Sgt. Elliott (30th Battery) lost to Lt. Ingram and Sgt. Morgan 3-6, beat Lt. Moffat-Wilson and Sgt. McKaghnie 6-1, beat Bdr. Edwards and Bdr. Wilson 6-3.

Major Prinsall and Gnr. Roche (30th Battery) lost to Ingram and Morgan 6-6, beat Moffat-Wilson and McKaghnie 6-3, beat Edwards and Wilson 7-5.

Lt. Skipwith and Sgt. Bonham (30th Battery) lost to Ingram and Morgan 2-6, beat Moffat-Wilson and McKaghnie 6-0, beat Edwards and Wilson 6-3.

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MIXED DOUBLES TENNIS

Two Matches Played in Programme

Main curtailed play in the Mixed Doubles League match between Kowloon Cricket Club "B" and Chinese Recreation Club at Cox's Road yesterday when the visitors won by 5 sets to 1, the last round remaining unplayed. Scores were: S. A. Gray and Mrs. Smeby (K.C.C. "B") lost to V. C. Hung and Mrs. E. Litton 1-6, beat Paul Kong and Miss Yeung Wal-bun 7-5.

D. J. N. Anderson and Miss B. Harker (K.C.C. "B") lost to W. C. Hung and Mrs. Litton 1-6, lost to Lee Wal-tong and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu 3-6.

A. V. White and Mrs. Knight (K.C.C. "B") lost to Lee Wal-tong and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu 4-6, lost to Paul Kong and Miss Yeung Wal-bun 3-6.

H.K.C.C. v. K.C.C. The Hongkong Cricket Club beat the Kowloon Cricket Club "A" by 5-4.

H. J. Armstrong and Mrs. L. R. Andrews (Hongkong), beat E. C. Fincher and Mrs. Burnett 7-5; lost to G. C. Burnett and Mrs. Sweeney 5-7; beat A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. Clark 7-5.

W. Sander and Miss J. Armstrong lost to Fincher and Mrs. Burnett 3-6; beat Burnett and Mrs. Sweeney 6-4; lost to Guest and Mrs. Clark 5-6.

T. A. Pearce and Miss D. Dodwell lost to Fincher and Mrs. Burnett 1-6; beat Burnett and Mrs. Sweeney 6-4; beat Guest and Mrs. Clark 6-3.

BELGRADE RUMOURS

London, May 19. Contrary to semi-official statements made after the return of Prince Paul from Rome, the attachment of Yugoslavia to the Berlin-Rome Axis was agreed to in principle, in conversations with Count Ciano, according to the Belgrade correspondent of the News-Chronicle.

Practical expression will be given to this decision in separate bilateral non-aggression pacts between Yugoslavia and Germany, Yugoslavia and Italy and Yugoslavia and Hungary.

Details will be settled between Count Ciano and Herr Ribbentrop in Berlin this week-end.

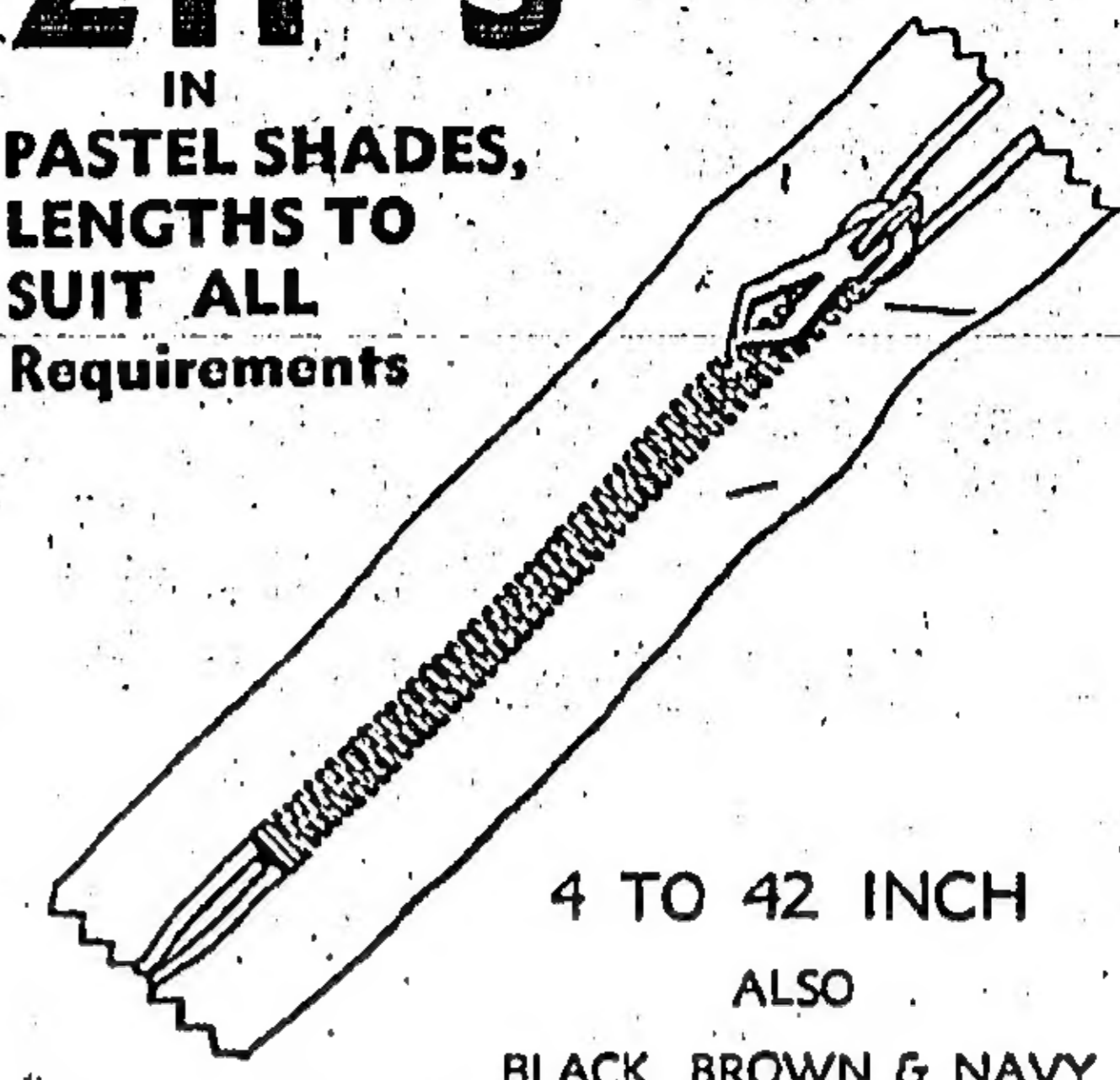
Yugo-Slav officials justify the attachment to the Axis on the ground that the Anglo-Turkish Agreement means the end of the Balkan Entente. —Reuter.

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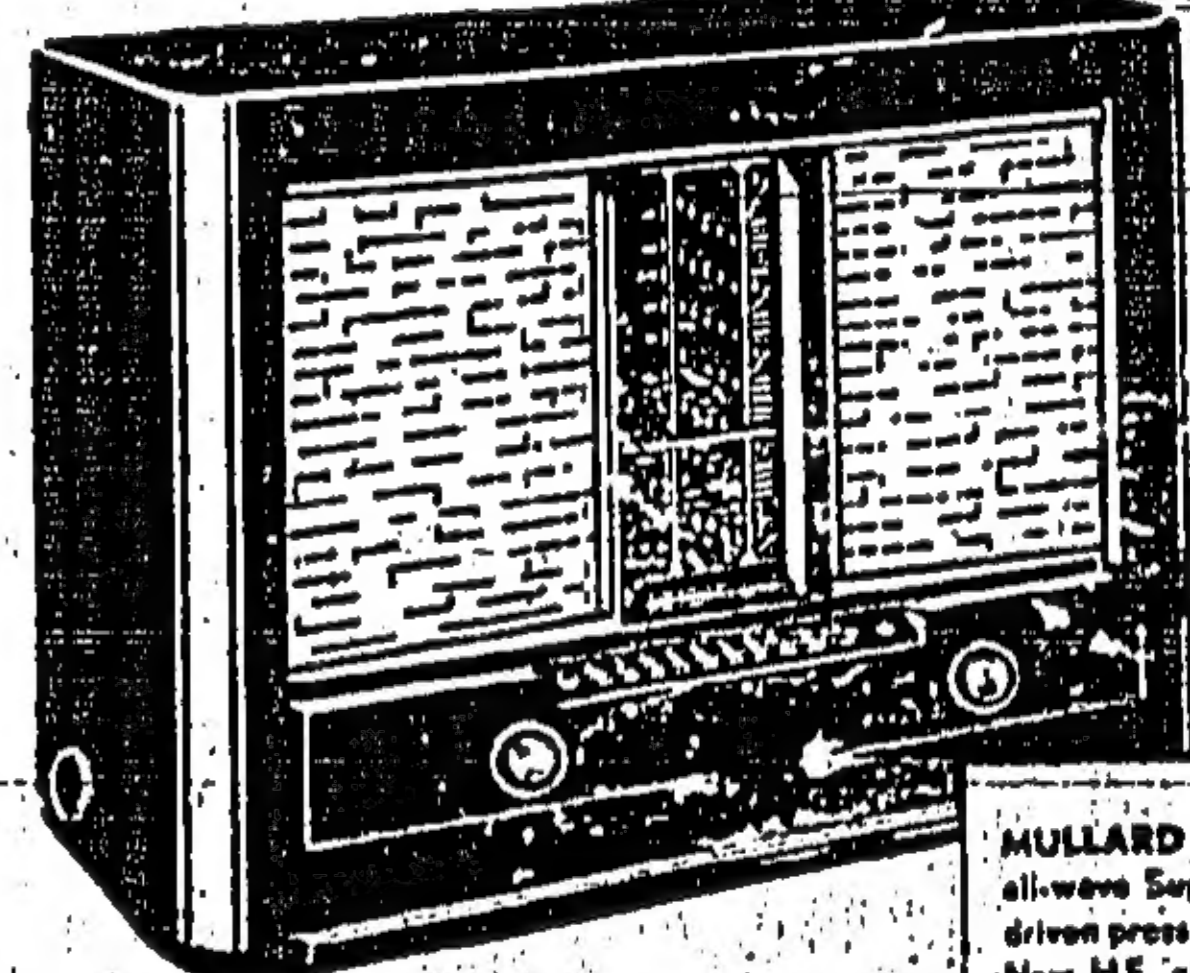
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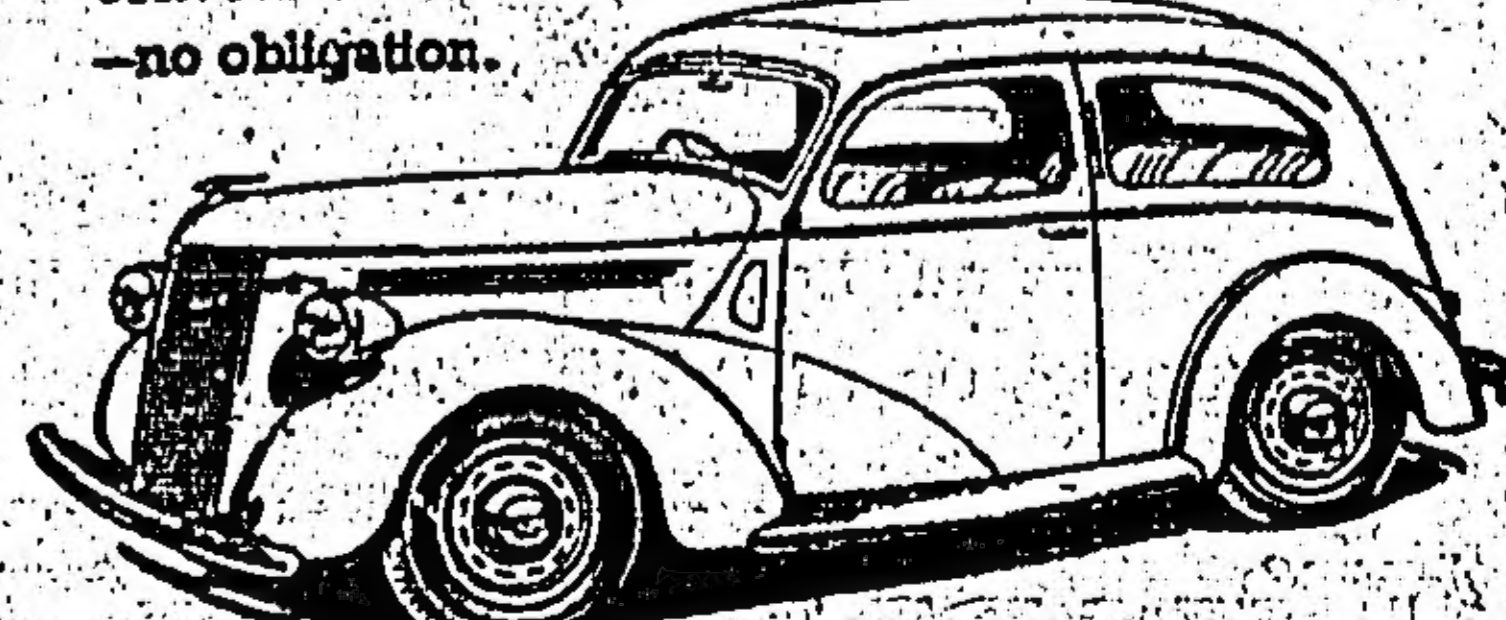
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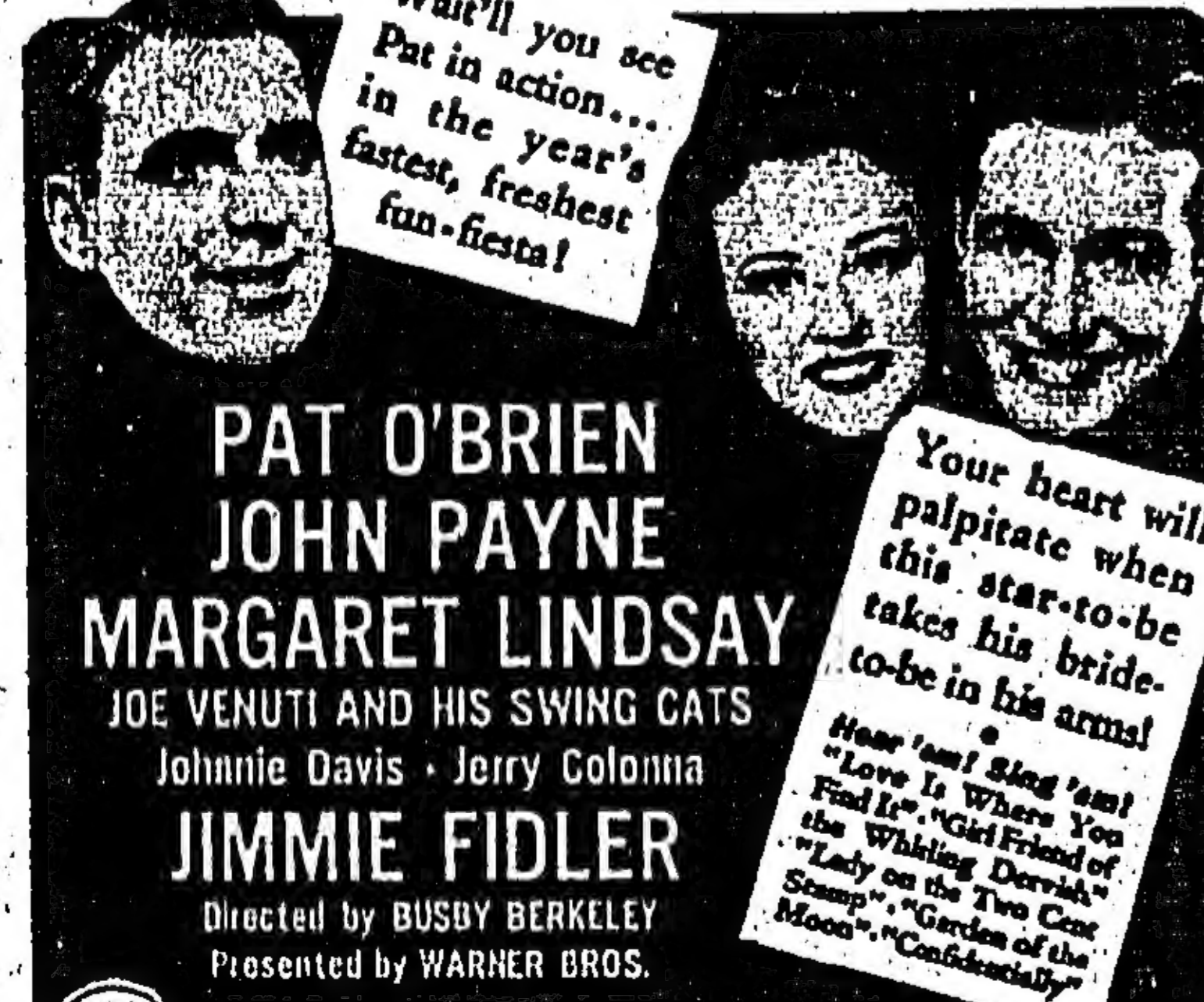
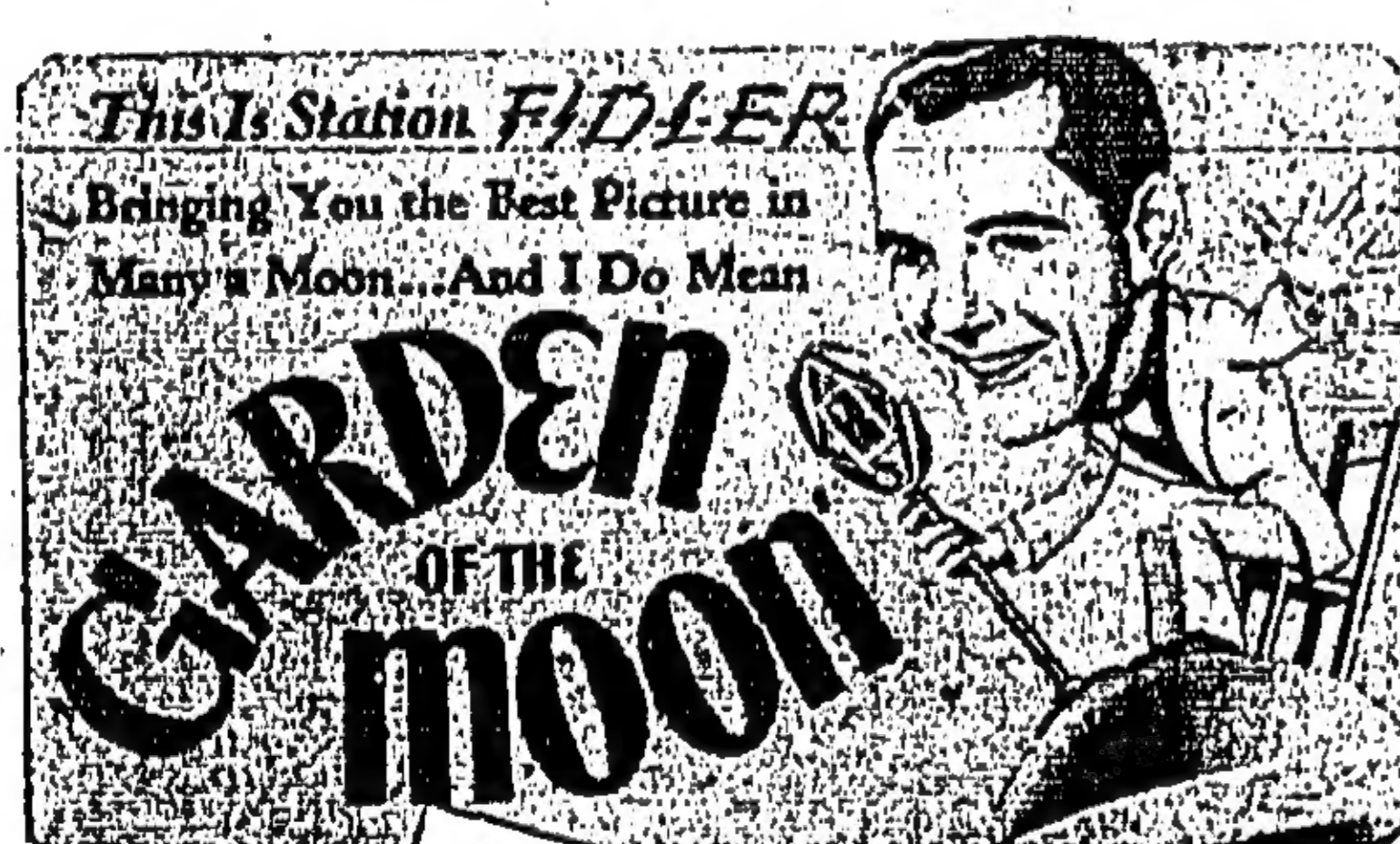
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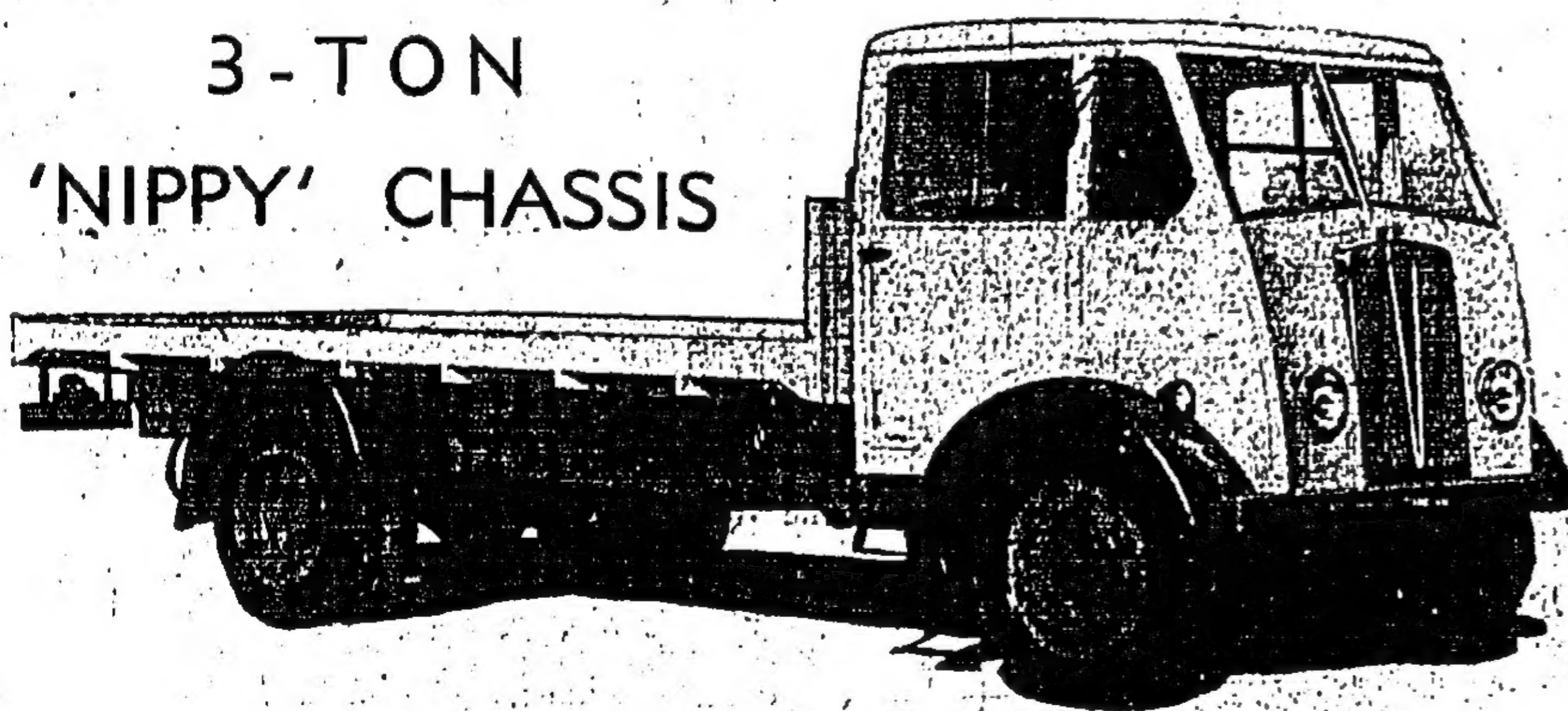


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METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai)

House Committee Meeting
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WHIT MONDAY PICNIC

Services on Sunday, May 21
 Preachers.—Morning, Rev. J. E. Sandbach; Evening, Rev. E. Moreton.
 Junior Church at 9.30 a.m. All children welcome.

Morning Parade Service at 10.15 a.m. Hymn No. 927. Prayer, Hymn No. 821. 1st Lesson, Hymn No. 603. 2nd Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 880. Sermon, Hymn No. 272. Benediction.

Evening Service at 7 p.m. Hymn No. 29. Prayer, Hymn No. 410. Lesson, Prayer, Notices, Hymn No. 591. Sermon, Hymn No. 398. Benediction.

Notices for the Week
 1. Following the Evening Service a Social Hour will be held at the S. & S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.

2. The Badminton Club will meet at the S. & S. Home on Monday and Thursday at 7 p.m.

3. There will be a meeting for Prayer and Fellowship at the S. & S. Home on Tuesday at 8.30 p.m.

4. The House Committee is meeting at the S. & S. Home on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m.

5. A Lunch Picnic has been arranged for Whit Monday leaving Hongkong at 2 p.m. Further details will be given later.

UNION CHURCH (Kennedy Road)

Methodist Pastor To
 Preach To-morrow

Morning Service 10.30 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m.

Preacher at Morning Service, Rev. E. Moreton. Preacher at Evening Service, Rev. J. E. Sandbach.

The Helena May Religious Fellowship meets in the Institute on Friday mornings at 10.30 a.m. A cordial invitation to attend these meetings is extended to all ladies of Union Church.

LESSON SERMON

First Church of Christ,
 Scientist, Hongkong

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science Churches to-morrow, May 21, will be "Soul and Body."

The Golden Text will be—"If thou draw out thy soul to the hungry, and satisfy the afflicted soul; then shalt thy light be as the noon day." (Isa. 58: 10).

Among others the following citations will be read from the Bible: "Rejoice the soul of thy servant; for unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul." (Ps. 103: 1) and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; One Lord, one faith, one baptism, One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all. Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day; we are not of the night, nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober." (1 Pet. 1: 13-15)

The following citations will also be read from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "We are body and Soul; Identity is the reflection of Spirit, the reflection in multifarious forms of the living Principle of Love. The divine Mind maintains all identities, from a blade of grass to a star, as distinct and eternal. The questions are: What are God's identities? What is Soul? Soul is the substance, Life and intelligence of man, which is individualized but not in matter. Soul, being Spirit, is seen in nothing imperfect nor material. What evidence of Soul or immortality have you within mortality? Who can see a soul in the body? Denial of the claims of matter is a great step towards the joys of Spirit, towards human freedom and the final triumph over the body. There is but one way to heaven, harmony, and Christ in divine Science shows us this way." (Pages 477, 70, 478, 242)

Announcement

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong, a Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading Room is located in the Church Building and is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 8.30 p.m. to 10 p.m. All authorized Christian Science literature is available at the Reading Room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH (Church of England, Kowloon)

H.E. the Governor To
 Attend Matins

SERVICE BROADCAST

Sunday, May 21, Sunday after Ascension.

Holy Communion 8 a.m.: Matins at 11 a.m. Preacher: The Vicar (The Rev. J. R. Higgs).

His Excellency the Governor will attend this service, read the lesson and meet members of the Council and officers of the Church afterwards. He will have a Guard of Honour composed of the Central British School Girl Guides, St. Andrew's Raver Scout Crew and Boy Scout Troop. The Service will be broadcast.

Evening at 6.15 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. J. C. L. Wong.
 Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m. Leader: Miss W. Robinson. Young People's Service in the Church 10 a.m. Leader: Mrs. J. R. Higgs.

Week Day Notices
 Monday, May 22. Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; Fellowship of Youth 5.30 p.m. (All those who were recently confirmed are invited to attend this meeting.)

Monday, May 22. Teachers' Preparation Class 7 p.m. St. Andrew's Club "open" Badminton evening at 8.30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 23. Mothers' Union at 3 p.m.; Brownie Pack at 3.30 p.m.; Monthly meeting of the Church Council at 8 p.m.; V.D.M.A. Committee meeting in the hall at 8.45 p.m.

Wednesday, May 24. Empire Day. There will be an Empire Day Service in the Cathedral for school children at 9 a.m.; Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; Wolf Cubs meets at 5.30 p.m.; Raver Scout Crew (St. Andrew's) meet at 11 Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong at 8.45 p.m.

The second of the meetings in connection with the coming bazaar will be held in the hall at 8.30 p.m. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Thursday, May 25. Women's Fellowship 3 p.m.; Speaker: The Vicar. St. Andrew's Boy Scout Troop (1st Kowloon) 6 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club "Bee" 9 p.m.

Friday, May 26. Medical War Working Party 10 a.m.; T.C.H. meets in the Chater Room at 6 p.m.; Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.

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Services, preachers and notices for next week.

Dr. Reichelt to speak at V.D.M.A. Social.

Sunday, May 21, Sunday after Ascension Day.—Holy Communion 7.15 a.m.; Young People's Class 9 a.m. in the gallery; Junior Sunday School 9 a.m. No. 3, Duke Street; Senior Sunday School 10 a.m. No. 3, Duke Street; Choral Eucharist 10 a.m. Preacher, the Vicar; Evensong 6.30 p.m. Preacher, the Vicar.

Thursday, May 25. Holy Communion 7.15 a.m.—Guild of Martha and Mary Sewing meeting in the Vicarage, 100, Waterloo Road, 10 a.m.; Wolf Cubs, 3 Duke Street, 5.30 p.m.

Friday, May 26.—Christ Church V.D.M.A. group social at 8.30 p.m. in St. Andrew's Hall, Spenser, Rev. Dr. K. L. Reichelt, Director of the Tao Fung Shan Christian Institute, on the Madras Conference.

Tickets may be had from the secretary, Mrs. Goddard, or from Mrs. C. G. Anderson, or at the Vicarage.

Saturday, May 27.—Launch picnic leaves Police Pier 3.45 p.m., arriving back about 7 p.m. Charge for non-guarantors 80c., children 40c. All members of Christ Church and their friends are welcome.

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 Called to a blaze at a chemical manufacturing company, firemen returned to their quarters in perfect blackface for a minstrel show, although the fire was a minor one. The blackfaced boys had fought a quantity of burning lampblack.

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Shanghai	Abbecker	May 20
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Shanghai and Swatow	Pan American Airways plane	May 20
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Salgon	Kwangtung	May 22
Shanghai, Amoy and Swatow	Laos	May 22
Halphong	Taiyuan	May 22
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 27th April).	Chekian	May 23
Japan	Kamokura Maru	May 23
Calcutta and Straits	La Plata Maru	May 23
Swatow and Amoy	Shirata	May 23
Straits	Anshun	May 24
Salgon	Antiochus	May 24
Manila	Aramis	May 24
Bangkok	Emp. of Asia	May 24
Manila	Kwelyang	May 24
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20th April		
Straits	Ranpura	May 24
Straits	Rays	May 24
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For	Per	Date and Time
Saturday		
Bangkok	Mul Hock	Sat., May 20, 1.30 p.m.
Halphong	Canton	Sat., May 20, 2 p.m.
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Halphong	Taksang	Sat., May 20, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Cremor	Sat., May 20, 5 p.m.
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 27th May.	Pan American Airways Plane	Sat., May 20, K.P.O.
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Sunday		
Amoy via Swatow	Halyang	Sun., May 21, 9 a.m.
Halphong via Swatow	Kalgan	Sun., May 21, 9 a.m.
Fort Bayard, Pakhol and Halphong	Sulyang	Sun., May 21, 9 a.m.
Swatow	Taiyang	Sun., May 21, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Papers only for Straits and (Parcels Kumsang and Papers only) for Calcutta	Parcels	Mon., May 22, 11 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Katori Maru	Mon., May 22, 3.30 p.m.
Poochow	Kwangtung	Mon., May 22, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 20th May	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., May 22, K.P.O.
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Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 20th May	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., May 22, K.P.O.
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Tuesday		
Canton	Fatsan	Tues., May 23, 7.15 a.m.
Manila, Macassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues., May 23, 8.30 a.m.
Halphong	Ninghai	Tues., May 23, 11 a.m.
Fort Bayard and Halphong	Jean Dupuis	Tues., May 23, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Ychow	Tues., May 23, 2.30 p.m.
Chuanchow and Amoy	Taiyuan	Tues., May 23, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Kamakura Maru	K.P.O.	Tues., May 23, K.P.O.
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Wednesday		
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Shanghai and Japan	Aramis	Wed., May 24, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow	Szechuen	Wed., May 24, Noon.
Thursday		
Shanghai, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) via Siberia	Hanpura	Thurs., May 25, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America via Vancouver B.C. and (Parcels and Papers only for Canada)—due Vancouver B.C., 16th June.	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., May 25, K.P.O.
	Parcels	May 25, 4 p.m.
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	Ord.	May 25, 5.30 p.m.
	Reg.	May 25, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	May 25, 7 p.m.
Salgon	Pres. Doumer	Thurs., May 25, 4.30 p.m.
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	Ord.	May 25, 7 p.m.
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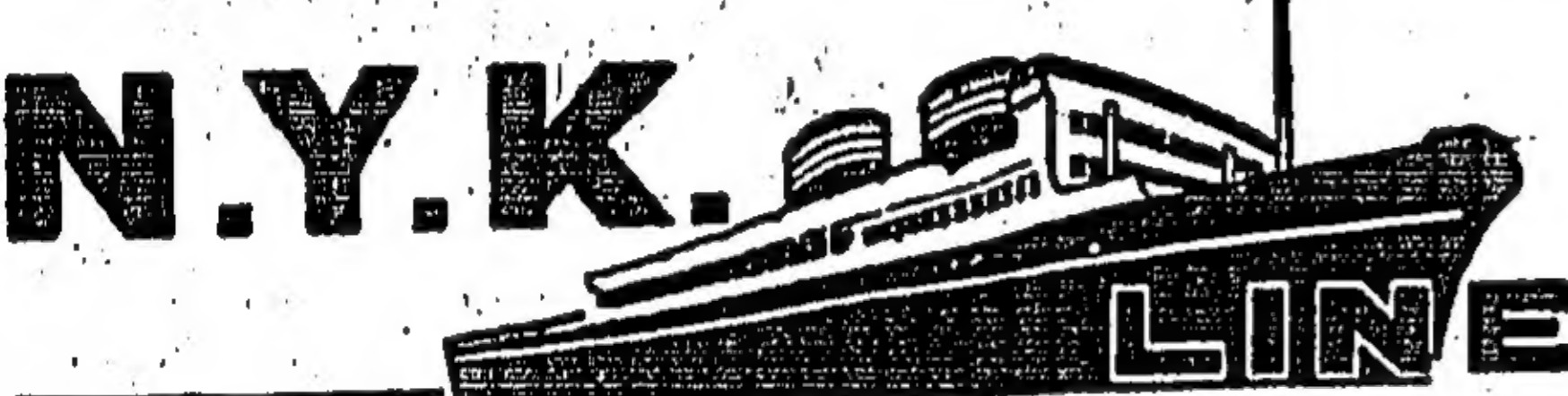
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12.30 Frank Titterton (Tenor) and the New Light Symphony Orchestra. Incidental Music to "Mary Rose" (O'Neill)... New Light Symphony Orchestra and Chorus. Conductor: Mrs. O'Neill. In An Old English Town (Suite); My Dear Son (San-Town) (Suite); Frank Titterton (Tenor) with Piano; Policeman's Holiday (Jewell); Parade Of The Tin Soldiers (Jewell)... New Light Symphony Orchestra; Oh! No John (arr. Sharp)... Frank Titterton (Tenor) with Piano accompaniment by Claude Ivy; St. Patrick's Day; Charge! The Road to the Isles. Entry of Massed Bands; Rule Britannia; Come back to Erin; Men of Harlech; Highland Laddie; Cock of the North... Massed Bands of the Southern Command.

1.0 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 A Scottish Programme with Sydney MacEwan (Tenor). Medley Of Scottish Songs... Pipes Of The 2nd and 3rd Batt. Cameron Highlanders under the direction of Pipe-Major T. K. Marshall and Herbert Dawson (Organ); Ye Banks and Braes (arr. Murray); The Road To The Isles (MacLeod-Kennedy-Fraser)... Sydney MacEwan (Tenor) with Instrumental Trio. Sixty Eight... Scottish Country Dance Orchestra conducted by Michael Dink; There's Nae Luck About The House (Moffat); Ae Fond Kiss (R. Burns-Moffat)... Catherine Stewart (Contralto) with Piano; Will Ye No Come Back Again? (Baroness Mairne-arr. Scottwood)... Sydney MacEwan (Tenor) with Piano accompaniment by Duncann Morrison.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press; Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 Variety with Arthur Askey, Len Green, Dinah Miller and George Scott Wood's Six-Swingers.

The Snoop—Quickstep; So You Left Me For The Leader Of A Swing Band—Quickstep... The Six Swingers; River In Cairo—Fox-Trot; I'm Plinked Over You (film "Mr. Deeds Goes To Town")... Dinah Miller (The Personality Girl) with Orchestra; Melodies Of The Month, No. 2; Intro: My dance; Marie Louise; It's easy to remember... Len Green (Piano) with String Bass and Drums; Night Time In Cairo—Fox-Trot; The Six Swingers; Melodies Of The Month, No. 20; Intro: Take my heart, South Sea Island Magic; There isn't any limit to my love... Len Green (Piano) with Drums; All To Specification (Wilcock and Rutherford)... Arthur Askey (Vocal) with small Orchestra; Pie Pie Intro: Sailing on the Robert E. Lee; Alabama Bound; California, Here I Come; Japanese Sandman; Ain't Got Nobody; Birth of the Blues... George Scott Wood and His Six Swingers.

2.15 Close down.

2.30 Musical Comedy Selections.

Musical Comedy March; Intro: Ritz Song (Deer Song); The Mountains (Rose-Marie); Song of the Drum (from same); The Three Musketeers (from same); Tokyo (Blitter Sweet); The Robbers' March (Chu Chin Chow); Love's Scent (Madame Pompadour); Goodbye (The White Horse Inn)... Light Opera Company with Orchestra; "No, No, Nanette"—Selection (Youmans)... New Mayfair Orchestra with Edward O'Herry (Organ); C. B. Cochran Medley—Intro: Numbers from "As you were"; "Allegro"; League of Nations; "On with the Dance"; "Birds"; "One dam thing after another"; "This Year of Grace"... C. B. Cochran (Composers) assisted by Janet Joyce; Elizabeth Welch; Edward Cooper and Roy Noble and His Orchestra.

"Rose Marie"—Selection (Frml)... New Mayfair Orchestra.

6.30 Quentin M. Maclean at the Organ.

Night Must Fall (film "The Tenth Man"); It Was So Beautiful (Frederic Barris)... with Vocal Chorus by Dan Donovan; King Of Jazz. Selection (Wayne, De Costa, Yellen and Others)... with Regal Cinema Orchestra.

6.45 London Relay—"Lucky Dip." Seventeenth Edition. Presented by William MacLurg. The music played by Rae Jenkins' Lucky Dip Orchestra.

7.30 Closing local stock quotations.

7.32 Danny Malone (Tenor) in an Irish Programme.

Double Jigs, Frank O'Higgins (Traditional Fiddler) with Julia Gray at the Piano; The Bard Of Armagh (arr. Herbert Hughes); The Hills Of Donegal (Sanderson)... Danny Malone (Tenor) with Orch.; Mason's Apron—Reel; Rakes Of Clonmel—Jig... Frank Murphy (Accordion) with Piano; Love's Roses (Brookes); Sweetheart Darlin' (film "Peg o' my Heart")... Danny Malone (Tenor) with Orch.; Irish Medley; Intro: Rakes of Morrow; Mother Machree; When Irish eyes are smiling; A little bit of heaven; Garry Owen; Irish Washerwoman; Peggy O'Neill; Rose of Tralee; Killarney; St. Patrick's Day... Reginald Dixon (Organ)...

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 B.B.C. Recording—"Breaking Athlete Records."

A talk by Harold Abraham.

8.30 Studio—Concert by Mrs. Nell Mathieson (Contralto) with E.O'Neill Piano at the Piano.

1. Three songs by Edward Elgar: (a) In Haven; (b) Where Corals Lie; (c) Like To The Damask Rose; 2. (a) Nod (Armstrong Gibbs); (b) Sweet Chance, That Led My Steps Abroad (Michael Head)... Mrs. Mathieson (Contralto); 3. First Andante (Debussy)... E. O'Neill Piano at the Piano; 4. Life And Death (Coleridge-Taylor)... Mrs. Mathieson (Contralto).

Edwin Fischer (Piano) and The London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Lawrence Collingwood.

12.45 Violin Solos by Yehudi Menuhin.

Legende, Op. 17 (Wienlawd)... with Orchestra; Des Concerts Colonne conducted by Georges Enesco; La Ronde Des Lutins, Op. 25 (Bazill); Moto Perpetuo, Op. 11 (Paganini)... with Piano accompaniment by Marcel Gazelle.

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 New Mayfair Orchestra and Webster Booth (Tenor).

Sweet Melody of Night (film "Give us this Night")... Webster Booth (Tenor) with Orchestra; Medley Of James Tate's Songs... New Mayfair Orchestra with Vocal Chorus; Year of Theatre Land; Intro: Play Orchestra; 20-Night (Bazill); 3.30; Music in the (Careless Rapture); I breathe in windows (Over the seas); Drop in next time you're passing (Golf Places); Anything Goes (from same); Love is a dancing thing (Follow the Sun) Unbelievable (Swing along); This'll make you whistle (from same); 4.30; 1. Lane, Webster Booth and Chorus with Orchestra; Selection Of Sing Crosby Numbers... New Mayfair Orchestra with Vocal Chorus.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 B.B.C. Recording—"Seven Days Sunshine."

A Musical Cruise with book and lyrics by Henrik Ege; Music by Norman Mackintosh; Cast: Floyd Penrhyn; Sydney Keith; Claude Hulbert and Enid Trevor; Doris Gilmore; Lillian; Wayne A'ello; Teddy Williams; Gilbert Bailey; The Carlyle Cousins and The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra conducted by Stanford Robinson.

2.30 Close Down.

7.00 An Hour of Light French music with Hino Rossi, Ninon Vallin and Albert Preled.

Speak To Me Of Love (Lenoir)... Tom Jones and His Orchestra; Si Tu Le Voulais (Tosti)... Tino Rossi (Vocal) with Orchestra; "La Belle Helene"—Selection (Offenbach)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; L'Adorable Candeliers (Spencer-Chapelle)... Ninon Vallin (Soprano) with Piano; Sylvia Ballet (Debussy)... Mandoline Orchestra; C'est Le Mai (X...); La Delaissee (X...); Yvette Guilbert (Discuse) with Piano accompaniment by Emme. Sayezolin; Ballet Suite (Popy)... Grand Concert Orchestra cond. by Bruno Seidler-Winkler; Le Roi D'Ys—Aubade (Lalo); Manon-Dream Song (Massenet)... Tino-Rossi (Vocal) with Orchestra; Paysage (Hahn); Si Mes Vers Aillent Des Altes (Hahn)... Minon Vallin (Vocal) with Orchestra cond. by Godfrey Andell; "Le Cid" Ballet Music (Massenet)... New Symphony Orchestra cond. by Eugene Goossens.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Handel—"Aldina" Suite.

Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra Of New York conducted by Wilhelm Mengelberg.

6.15 Studio—Piano Duo Recital by Muriel Gubbay and Harry Ore.

1. Sonata In D (Mozart); 2. Five Voices (Friedmann); 3. "Phedre"—Overture (Massenet).

8.40 Songs by Conchita Supervia (Mezzo-Soprano).

Pastora (Murillo-Miranda); La Zingarella (Paisiello)... with Or-

From the Studio Mrs. Mathieson (Contralto) LONDON RELAYS

8.45 Haydn—Symphony No. 45 ("Farewell") In F Sharp Minor.

Sir Henry J. Wood conducting the London Symphony Orchestra.

9.10 Local Sport Results.

9.15 London Relay—The News.

9.30 London Relay—"London Let."

9.45 London Relay—Stock Exchange Report and Sports News.

9.50 Military Band Selections.

Tidworth Tattoo, 1938; Intro: Fanfare (Cavalry Trumpeters); Beating Tattoo; I passed by your window; Gonnercourt; Despatch Riders; Entry of Massed Bands; Probynski; Entry of Massed Bands; 56th Brigade; Physical Training; After the Ball is over; Bonnie Dundee; Musical Ride; St. Patrick's Day; Charge! The Road to the Isles. Entry of Massed Bands; Rule Britannia; Come back to Erin; Men of Harlech; Highland Laddie; Cock of the North... Massed Bands of the Southern Command.

10.0 London Relay—"The New York World's Fair."

A talk by John Glogg (from America).

10.20 London Relay—"The Alchemists" by Dan Aiken. Stories and legends of the men who have sought to change base metals into gold. Production by Leslie Stokes.

10.50 Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

Record: Rumba On Toast; Intro: La Cucuracha; Mama Inez; The Carols; Siboney; Tony's Wife; Side walks of Cuba; Green eyes; When Yuba plays the Rumba on the Tuba... Arthur Young and Reginald Fore-sythe (Piano Duo) with String Bass and Drums.

11.00 (a) You and You; (b) 1001 Nights; (c) Broken Life; (d) Dark Eyes.

11.15 Record: Carmen Sylva—Waltz (Ivanovic)... International Concert Orchestra.

11.20 (a) Sixty Seconds got together; (b) When Pa courts Ma; (c) Garden of the Moon; (d) Pled Pledge of Hamelin Town.

11.35 Records: Speak To Me Of Love (Lenoir); Lulu's Back In Town (film "Broadway Gondolier"); In a Little Gipsy Tea Room (Leslie and Burke)... George Scott-Wood (Piano-Accordion) assisted by Gullar, Bass and Drums.

11.45 (a) Love is Where you Find It; (b) Jeppers Greepers; (c) My Reveries; (d) Black Eyes.

12 Midnight. Close Down.

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12.15 Mozart-Concerto In O Minor, K. 491.

Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS

1—Dishes of art

2—Bottom (French)

3—Vegetable

4—Japanese costume

5—Japanese costume

6—Torn clothing

7—Combining form

8—Hebrew month

9—Compound ether

10—Office in ship

11—Devoured

12—Compound ether

13—German valley

14—Olive fruit

15—Heavy weight

16—Hebrew month

17—Compound ether

18—Rings worn

19—House in ship

20—Russian ruler

21—Meat

22—Singing syllable

23—Personal name

24—Fish

25—Plural, putti

26—Greek god

27—Greek god

28—Greek god

29—Greek god

30—Greek god

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LATE NEWS

Paris Optimism

PARIS, May 19.—Well-informed circles remain optimistic over the Anglo-Soviet conversations.

It is understood that the British proposals were handed to M. Molotov yesterday, and though they did not entirely satisfy M. Molotov, marked progress was made towards the Russian viewpoint.

A reply in principle from Russia is expected to be delivered in London to-night. It is hoped this will make an agreement possible, but if this does not transpire, then it is thought that Viscount Halifax's talks here to-morrow may do so.

M. Daladier, M. Bonnet, and M. Leger and M. Charvat, respectively Secretary-General and Director of political and commercial affairs in the Foreign Office will take part in these important discussions.

Viscount Halifax will be accompanied by Sir Eric Phipps the British Ambassador, and the Foreign Office expert on Anglo-Soviet relations, Mr. William Strang.

At 3.30 this afternoon received M. Souritz the Soviet Ambassador. In the meantime, the Franco-Turkish agreement dealing both with the security of the Mediterranean and the future of the Sanjak of Alexandretta is practically certain to be signed next week, possibly on May 22, the date for the signature of the Italo-German alliance.

A decision in principle on the Sanjak question is to be taken at to-morrow's Cabinet meeting.

It is understood that Turkey has requested the immediate transfer of the territory to her.

The Franco-Turkish agreement will be a good omen for the success of the Anglo-Russian talks, since Turkey attaches great importance to the matter of Russian intervention in the event of war.—United Press.

Atlantic Air Service

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Pan American Airways announce that a Clipper will take off from New York for Europe at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

Pan American Airways have been authorised to immediately make two round trips weekly. The Government authorisation requires at least five round trips before they can carry passengers. It authorises routes from New York to London via Shednack N.B., Botwood and Foyne, and also via the Azores and Lisbon to Marseilles.—United Press.

German Guns

EFFRINGEN, May 19.—Heir Hitler has completed a six-days tour of the frontier fortifications.

He has issued a proclamation asserting that the Rhineland fortifications are "one hundred per cent. impregnable."

Appropi Hitler's tour, military experts at Strassburg assert that Germany has installed a number of new "super Berthas" along the Rhine beyond the range of France's ordinary frontier guns—located mainly in the Saar within range of Thionville and Metz.

They say Hitler discovered several flaws in the Siegfried line.—United Press.

Franco's Appeal

MADRID, May 19.—In a radio broadcast to-day General Franco pleaded with the Spanish people to strive for unity following the Nationalists' victory.

"Victory would be empty if it is not followed up by a sound peace policy," he declared.

Official quarters state that the Generalissimo will receive the various diplomatic corps on Saturday.—United Press.

Italians March In Flower-Strewn City

MADRID, May 19.—Italian legionaries were the first troops to march past General Franco in the Victory Parade to-day, which was marred by rain which fell throughout.

It was nearly an hour before the first entirely Spanish detachment came past carrying a huge portrait of General Franco.

The avenue was strewn with flowers for the occasion.

Preceded by a gorgeously clad mounted Moorish bodyguard, General Franco arrived at the saluting base amid deafening cheers, where Cabinet Ministers, members of the diplomatic corps, and generals greeted him.

The Moroccan Grand Vizier, in flowing robes, was among them.

The grand stand and streets were decorated with flags, including the Italian, German and Portuguese, in addition to the Spanish Nationalist and Falangist colours.

Moorish troops passed by to the famous tune "Long Live Death."

Planes flew overhead in formations representing the word Franco.

There was nearly four hours of pageant before the German legion appeared, led by Major-General von Richthofen, who subsequently joined General Franco in the saluting base.

As the Germans passed, the radio announced their achievements during the civil war.—Reuter.

Theatre Objects To Latrines

The Urban Council has overriden the objection of the Central Theatre to the installation of a flush latrine in Lower Lascar Row, according to the orders of the day published in connection with the Council's next meeting on Tuesday.

A motion to this effect will be moved by the Chairman, who will state that, in the opinion of the Colonial Secretary, the objections raised by the owner of the Central Theatre are not valid.

The Council will be asked to re-affirm its resolution of November 8, 1938, when it was agreed that additional latrine accommodation was needed in the Western section of the city between Blake Gardens and Lower Lascar Row.

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